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At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Peacedale 4th month 24th 1872. Preparative Accounts present the representatives therein named are Harriet D. Collins, Electa Jane Collins, Mary Anna Gould, and Anna A. Gould whose names being called are all present.

The Queries have been read with answers thereto from our preparative meetings and therefrom we have selected those describing our present state which are forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by Harriet D. Collins, and Electa Jane Collins who are appointed our representatives. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Peacedale 5th mo. 27th 1872.

Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Ruth Ann Collins, Mary D. Collins, Lydia S. Gould, and Dorcas S. Babcock, whose names being called are present. The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting report they both attended. We have received a communication from Lydia C. Collins, (daughter of Isaac Collins) by the minutes of Hopkinton preparative meeting requesting to be released from membership with friends. This meeting is united in granting her request having the concurrence of men friends therein, and the clerk is requested to inform her the decision of this meeting. We conclude purposing to meet at this place next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Peacedale 6th mo 24th 1872.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Catharine C. Knowles, Ruth Ann Collins, Mary Anna Gould and Lydia S. Gould whose names being called are present. The clerk informed

this meeting that she has attended to her appointment of last month and informed Lydia C. Collins of her release from our religious society. Our dear friend Lacheus H. Powell attended this meeting with a minute of concurrence from Scipio Monthly Meeting of friends endorsed by Scipio Quarterly Meeting N.Y. expressive of their unity with him as a minister and with his present religious engagements. His company and gospel labors have been very acceptable to us. Our dear friend Chauncey B. Thorne, companion to our friend Lacheus H. Powell attended this meeting with a minute of concurrence from Scipio Monthly Meeting held at Union Springs N.Y. expressing their unity with his present engagement. His company and religious labors have been very acceptable to us.

We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Peacedale 7th mo 22nd 1872 Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Mary C. Hazard, and Dorcas G. Babcock, who are present. No account from Hopkinton on account of a severe rainstorm.

The Queries have been read at this time with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our preparative meetings and therefrom we have selected those describing our present state which we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Newport by Mary C. Hazard and Dorcas G. Babcock whom we appoint our representatives.

We conclude purposing to meet next month at Hopkinton if permitted.

Dorcas G. Babcock, Assistant Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 8th mo 26th 1872. Preparative accounts present the representatives

therein named are Dorcas G. Babcock, Elizabeth Peckham, Electa Jane Collins, and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except two. We are informed that one of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended, the other did not.

The time having expired for which the Clerk & Assistant were appointed the representatives propose the reappointment of Anna A. Gould for Clerk and, Dorcas G. Babcock for Assistant which being approved of they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year. They also propose the reappointment for Overseers of South Kingston Lois Perry and Hannah M. Babcock; for Hopkinton Mary D. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins, with which this meeting unites having the concurrence of men friends herein.

For Overseers of the poor Mary W. Collins for South Kingston, and Catharine E. Knowles for Hopkinton, all of which being united with they are appointed for one year. Received at this time the Minutes of our Yearly Meeting. Also received a Minute in regard to the revision of the Discipline and a Minute respecting General Meetings—all of which has been acceptably read. Acceptably read the report of the Boarding School Committee, and we appoint Dorcas G. Babcock and Electa Jane Collins a committee to select scholars for the charitable fund and to grant certificates to those who wish to attend the school. We conclude purposing to meet at this place next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo. 23rd. 1872 Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary D. Collins, Electa Jane Collins, Anna A. Gould and Lydia S. Gould whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition.

The London General Epistle was acceptably read to our edification. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo. 23rd 1872. Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Mary D. Collins, Electa Jane Collins, Anna A. Gould, and Lydia S. Gould whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition. The London General Epistle was read to our edification.

We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted. Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo. 28th 1872. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Dorcas E. Babcock, Anna A. Gould, Harriet D. Collins, and Mary D. Collins, whose names being called are present except one.

The Queries have been read at this time with answers to the 1st, 2nd, and 10th, from our preparative meetings and those selected comprising our present state which we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Fall River by Harriet D. Collins and Electa Jane Collins whom we appoint our representatives. We conclude purposing to meet at this place next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 27th 1872. One Preparative account being presented the representatives therein are Harriet D. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins who are present. No account from South Kingston. The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting inform they both attended. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at Westerlo if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women's
Friends held at Western 12th mo. 25th 1872. Preparative accounts presented
the representative

Anna E. Gould, whose names being called
are present except one. This meeting concludes proposing
to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna E. Gould, clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women's
Friends held at Western. Mistake. No women present.

This meeting was called on account of a
snowstorm rendering the roads ^{almost} impassable.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women's
Friends held at Western 2nd mo. 24th 1873.
being presented the representatives therein named are Lydia
A. Gould, Loras E. Babcock, Ruth Ann Collins and Anna
E. Collins whose names are present except
two. This meeting concludes proposing to meet at
this place next month if permitted.

Anna E. Gould, clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women's
Friends held at Western 3rd mo. 24th 1873.

Preparative accounts being presented the representatives
therein named are Lydia A. Gould, Loras E. Babcock,
Mary H. Collins and Anna E. Collins whose names being
called are present except one for whose absence
no satisfactory reason was given. This
meeting concludes proposing to meet next month at Peace
date if permitted.

Dorcas E. Babcock

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women's
Friends held at Western 4th mo. 24th 1873.
Preparative accounts being presented the representatives
therein named are Lydia A. Gould, Loras E. Babcock,

friends held at Waccabuck 7th mo. 20th. 1845.

Representative accounts present the representation named are Lois Perry, Dorcas S. Babcock, & Ruth Ann Collins.

Quarterly Meeting to be held at Newport, by Dorcas S. Babcock, and Electa Jane Collins who are appointed

respectably read the London General Epistle and the Minutes of the Yearly Meeting, also the Minutes of our last Yearly Meeting, and Epistles from our sisters of other Yearly Meetings. To conclude proposing to meet at Hopkinton next week if permitted.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women 7th mo. 20th. 1845. Representing were the representatives named A. Gould, Dorcas S. Potter, Ruth Ann Collins, and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called were present except one. We are informed that one of the representatives attended the Quarterly Meeting, the other rendered a sufficient excuse for her absence. The time having expired for which the representatives were appointed the representatives propose the appointment of Dorcas S. Potter for Newport and Hopkinton, and Ruth Ann Collins for Hopkinton, which being voted with they are appointed for one

her of the decision & the meeting. The excellent Epistles which are edifying and encouraging to us.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next at this place at 1.30 p.m.

Anna A. Gould, Secy.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Western 3 mo. 23^d 1874. By the accounts given

the representatives who were appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting in December they attended. Anna A. Gould informed this meeting that she has attended to the appointment of last month. Lively and deeply interesting Epistles from Ohio, Indiana, & Western Yearly Meeting have been read to our mutual comfort and edification.

We conclude purposing to meet at the same date next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Secy.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held 4th mo. 27th 1874. Preparative accounts being presented the following friends were appointed representatives, namely, Dorcas G. Babcock, Anna A. Gould, Sarah A. Perry, and Edmund Corbin, whose names being called are present.

The Queries with answers from our preparative meetings have been read at this time from the present state and forward the same to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at East Greenwich by Dorcas G. Babcock and Sarah A. Perry whom

which they are attending to the meeting they are
advised to that service for the evening year.
The presence of Mr. John May & Howard for the
Kingston and West St. Mary for Washington would
have united with they are appointed to that service
see the year meeting. The committee appointed
to visit Lizzie M. Dutton on account of her request
reports that they have had an interview with her, and
are united in favor of her becoming a member of our
religious society, with which the meeting united,
having the approval of our friends there; and
Lizzie M. Dutton is appointed to inform her of the
action of the meeting. We conclude proposing to
meet at the place next month if permitted.
Anna S. Gould, Secy.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women
Friends held at West Kingston 9th to 11th 1874
Separative accounts being presented the Separation
tins were read and they Anna Gould, Francis
L. Burrows, Catherine L. Burrows, and Susan L.
Burrows whose names being called are present as
well as one. The committee appointed last month
to inform Lizzie M. Dutton that she is received
a member of the religious society. Lizzie M.
formed this meeting that she has attended there.
Read at this time very instructive and edifying
Scriptures from our Bibles at London and Dublin
Bible Societies. These also the London General
Epistle containing much excellent counsel.
The meeting united with our friends in
receiving Robert Browning a member of the
religious Society of Friends. We conclude
proposing to meet next month at this place if
permitted.
Anna S. Gould, Secy.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Women Friends held at West Kingston 10th to 12th
1874. Separative accounts being presented

The representatives therein named are Anna H. Gould, Loretta G. Babcock, Ruth Ann Collins and Mary V. Collins whose names being called are present except one.

The queries have been read at this time, with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our preparative meetings; and those have been selected describing our present state which we forward with the account to you with our monthly meeting. We have at this time by Ruth Ann Collins and Anna H. Babcock we appoint our representatives. Read, to our mutual instruction and benefit an excellent Epistle from our South Hearly Meeting. We conclude for us to meet next month at this place if permitted
Anna H. Gould

At South Hearly Monthly meeting on
the 1st of Sept. 1841.

Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Mary V. Collins, Mary Anna Gould, and Anna H. Gould whose names being called are present except one.

We are informed the representatives to our preparative meeting attended agreeably to appointment. Received at this time a removal certificate in favor of Eliza Henderson.

which is very acceptable to this meeting. Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that Hannah Henderson, Lizzie Henderson, and Susan Mary Henderson desires to become members of the religious society or friends; and we appoint Ruth Ann Collins and Mary V. Collins a committee to have an interview with them on that account and report at a future meeting.

at Women Friends to a session 12th mo 2nd 1845.

Representative accounts present the representatives therein

Henderson whose names being called are present except two, for the absence of one a satisfactory reason was given.

The committee appointed to confer with Annan Henderson, Dixie Henderson, and Susan Mary Henderson, in account of their request report that they have had an opportunity with them, and are united in

the unity of men friends therein, and we appoint Sarah A. Perry to inform them that they are received as members into the Society of Friends.

We have united with men friends in granting a similar request to James Henderson, Joseph Henderson, and Thomas A. Henderson.

We conclude purposing to meet next month at Western meeting-house if permitted.

Sarah A. Perry
clock in this time.

At North Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Western 1st mo. 2th 1845.

Representative accounts present the representatives therein named are Doreas G. Babcock, Mary Anne Gould,

Sarah A. Perry, and Eliza Henderson whose names being called are present. The Minutes have been read at this time with answers to the 1st 2nd & 3rd from our Preparative Meetings, and having selected those transcribing the present state in this meeting, we forward the same with some account to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Providence by Anne A. Gould and Catherine E. Knowles who are appointed representatives. The committee appointed last month to inform those that have requested a more meeting of our religious Society informed that she had attempted to be appointed. The unity with men friends in admitting our new friends is expressed in the following in the foregoing report.

shortly on. We acceptably read at this time edifying Epistles from our sisters of Baltimore and North Carolina Yearly meetings.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meetings of Women Friends held at Western 2nd mo 22nd 1875. Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Dorcas B. Babcock, Harriet L. Collins and Anna Elizabeth Cook whose names being called were present except two

We are informed that one of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended, the other gave a reasonable excuse for her absence. Our esteemed friend Edward Wilson returned at this time his certificate granted him last month with information that he had accomplished the visit to the peace of his own mind. Lively and interesting Epistles from Ohio, and Indiana Yearly Meetings have been read for our encouragement. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.
Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 3rd mo 22nd 1875. Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Anna A. Gould, Dorcas B. Babcock, Mary L. Collins and Harriet L. Collins, whose names being called were present except one for whose absence a sufficient reason was given. Acceptable Epistles from Iowa and Canada Yearly Meetings were read to our edification. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 4th mo 24th 1875. Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Anna A. Gould, Dorcas B. Babcock, Mary L. Collins and Harriet L. Collins, whose names being called were present except one for whose absence a sufficient reason was given. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

being called on present. The Queries have been read with answers thereto from our preparative meetings and the following are selected as describing the present state of this meeting which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at East Greenwich by Dorcas G. Babcock and Harriet L. Collins who are appointed our representatives. Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Georgiana Brown requests to become a member of the religious society of Friends, and we appoint Sarah A. Perry and Electa Jane Collins a committee to visit her on that account and report to a future meeting.

this place if permitted

Attest

Women Friends held at Peace Dale 5th mo. 24th 1845.

By the accounts from our preparative meetings it appears that the following friends are therein named as representatives, Dorcas G. Babcock Electa Jane Collins and Mary F. Collins whose names being called are present. The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting inform they both attended. The committee appointed to visit with Georgiana Brown on account of her request, inform they have had an interview with her and are united in granting her request, with regards to this meeting matter, we please to recommend her; and that Harriet Collins is appointed to inform her that she is desired to become a member of the religious society. The committee also inform they have appointed a committee to visit with her on that account and report to our next meeting. We are united in granting her request, with regards to this meeting matter, we please to recommend her; and that Harriet Collins is appointed to inform her that she is desired to become a member of the religious society.

Attest

At South Kingston, December meeting of
 Friends held at Hopkinton 23rd mo 23rd 1875.
 Preparative accounts being presented the representatives
 therein named are Susan Browning, Eliza
 Henderson and Sarah A. Berry whose names
 being called are present. The representatives
 appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting
 at South Kingston they did not attend and gave suffi-
 cient reasons therefor. The time having
 come for which the Friends were appointed,
 friends are united in the appointment of Susan
 A. Berry for Clerk, and Marcus S. Babcock
 for assistant. Harriet B. Collins and
 Susan M. Gould are appointed to unite with
 a similar committee of men friends in appo-
 inting other officers of the church for the ensue-
 ing year. This meeting concluded preparing
 to meet next month at this place if permitted.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting, or
 Friends held at Hopkinton 27th mo 27th 1875
 Preparative accounts being presented the represen-
 tatives therein named are Susan A. Berry, Ruth
 A. Brown and Eliza Henderson whose
 names being called are present except Susan for
 sufficient reasons foregoing. The joint committee appointed last month
 to bring forward names for church officers
 have produced the following viz. Peter H.
 Collins, John H. Thorne, George S. Gould and
 Thomas Brown. For clerk Susan A. Berry, P. Bab-
 cock, Ruth A. Brown and Eliza Henderson
 with which this meeting unites, having the
 concurrence of the mens meeting therein.
 They are consequently appointed to that service
 for the ensuing year. And for overseers of
 the poor we appoint Marcus S. Babcock for
 South Kingston and Sarah A. Berry for Hop-
 kinton. The meeting adjourned.

was acceptably read at this time. We conclude
purposing to meet at this place next month if
permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting
Women Friends held at Hobbinton 11th mo. 22nd 1851.
The previous accounts presented the representatives named
were Grace Thompson, Maria L. Thompson, Mary
Ann and Hannah L. Collins, whose names
being called are present except one.

The previous business transacted at this time was
concerning the 1st and 4th of Nov. 1851. The previous
meeting and therefore we have submitted a
describing our present state, which we forward
to our dear Quarterly Meeting to be read at
South Kingston on Monday L. Collins, Anna A. Gould
and Ruth Ann Collins who are appointed our
representatives. Received at this time the
London General Epistle which was read to our
edification. In a joint session at the close of
the meeting the following was proposed to
solicit funds for the Syrian Mission. We conclude
purposing to meet next month at this place if
permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting
Women Friends held at Hobbinton 11th mo. 22nd 1851.
Representative accounts presented the representatives
named are Grace Thompson, Maria L. Thompson,
Mary Ann and Hannah L. Collins, whose names
being called are present. An account from South Kingston presented
and the representatives to Quarterly Meeting
attended the other two were prohibited by
sickness. Sent a Epistle from our dear
London Yearly Meeting containing much good
counsel. We conclude purposing to meet
next month at Hobbinton if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
 Women Friends held at Western 12th mo 27th 1875.
 Preparative accounts present the representatives
 therein named are Anna A. Gould, Dorcas G. Bab-
 cock and Eliza Henderson whose names being call-
 ed are present except one. Read at this time an
 interesting Epistle from Dublin which is
 assigned to this meeting. The committee pro-
 vide to meet next month at this place if per-
 mitted.
 Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting
 of Women Friends held at Western 12th mo 24th 1876.
 Preparative Accounts were presented the repre-
 sentatives therein named are Sprague, B. Knapp,
 Catharine E. Knapp and Sarah A. Tappan whose
 names being called are present except one.
 After the Minutes have been read at this time
 with answers to the 1st 2nd 3rd 4th 5th 6th 7th 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
 preparative meetings and therefrom we have
 selected those describing our present state
 which we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to
 be held at Providence by Mary P. Burroughs and
 David A. Collins who are appointed our rep-
 resentatives. Read to our edification Epistles
 from New York and Baltimore containing
 most excellent counsel. We conclude
 proposing to meet next month at this place
 if permitted.
 Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
 Women Friends held at Western 2nd mo 21st 1875.
 From the preparative accounts present the follow-
 ing friends were appointed representatives to
 that meeting. Sarah Ann Collins, Mary P. Burroughs,
 Dorcas G. Babcock and Anna A. Gould whose
 names being called are present. One of the rep-
 resentatives appointed to attend the Quarterly

meeting attended, the other gave a satisfactory reason for his absence. One of our friends Josiah Holmes Jr. and wife Sarah A. Holmes attended this meeting with satisfactory credentials from New Bedford monthly meeting of Friends.

Their company and gospel labors have been acceptable to us. This meeting concludes purposing to meet at this place next month if permitted.
Anna C. Gould, Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 3rd mo 27th 1876.
From the preparative accounts presented it appears that the following friends were appointed representatives to attend this meeting - Marshall W. Holmes, Abigail C. Holmes, Leptia S. Gould and Dorcas E. Babcock whose names being called were present. We conclude purposing to meet at Peacedale next month if permitted.
Anna C. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 4th mo 24th 1876.
From the preparative accounts presented the representatives therein named are Dorcas E. Babcock, Anna C. Gould, Sarah A. Perry, and Catharine E. Knowles, whose names being called are present except one. The letters have been read, with accompanying thanks from our preparative meetings, and having selected those describing our present state, we forward the same to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at East Greenwich by Marshall W. Holmes and Susan A. Perry as our representatives. We have been instructed and comforted in the reading of Epistles from our sisters of Ohio, Indiana, New York, North Carolina and Western Yearly Meetings. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.
Anna C. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
 Friends held at Peacedale 5th mo 22^d 1876.
 Narrative accounts being presented the reports
 of the Yearly Meeting were read and the
 following names being called on for names
 to attend the Quarterly Meeting informed they
 attended. Interesting Epistles from Boston
 and Canada Yearly Meetings have been read to our
 credit we trust, and may the good advice therein
 gained be remembered by us all.
 The meeting concluded purposing to meet
 next month at this place.

Anna M. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
 Friends held at Peacedale 6th mo 28^d 1876.
 Narrative accounts being presented the reports
 of the Yearly Meeting were read and the
 following names being called on for names
 to attend the Quarterly Meeting informed they
 attended. Interesting Epistles from Boston
 and Canada Yearly Meetings have been read to our
 credit we trust, and may the good advice therein
 gained be remembered by us all.
 The meeting concluded purposing to meet
 next month at this place.
 Anna M. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston monthly meeting of Friends held at Peacedale 7th mo 24th 1876.

Preparative accounts presented in regard to the same. Those therein named are Dorcas G. Babcock, Mary S. Collins, and Sarah A. Perry, whose names again called are with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our preparative committee and having received the same with some account to our next quarterly meeting to be held at Newport by Electa J. Collins and Sarah A. Perry as representatives.

This meeting concludes for this year no meet next month at South Kingston is permitted.
Anna A. Gould, clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of

Preparative accounts being presented the reports therein named are Dorcas G. Babcock, Sarah A. Perry, and Maria S. Collins and Maria Anderson whose names being called are answered.

The time having expired for which the were appointed the meeting is united in the appointment of Anna A. Gould for clerk, and Dorcas G. Babcock for assistant for the ensuing year. Sarah A. Perry and Maria S. Collins are appointed to unite with a similar committee of our friends to prepare names for increase of Society to our next quarterly meeting.

The representatives to Quarterly inform that both attended. We conclude to meet next month at this place if permitted.
Anna A. Gould, clerk.

At South Kingston monthly meeting of Friends held at Peacedale 7th mo 24th 1876. Preparative accounts being presented the

representatives of the church and society have
 been and shall continue to be in the
 called are present. we have received no report
 from South Kingston meeting held at Beardslee.
 The names of the friends who are
 forward names for overseers of society have
 produced the following viz. Lois Perry and
 Anna C. Gould for South Kingston and
 Anna Collins and Electa Jane Collins for Hop-
 kinton which is acceptable to the meeting and
 they are appointed to that service for the
 coming year. The meeting also
 to look for South Kingston and Hopkinton
 for the year ensuing. Hopkinton representative
 meeting informs that Mary A. Bathman wife
 of Howard C. Bathman desires to become a
 member of the religious Society at Bristol, and
 we appoint a committee to visit her on that ac-
 count and report to a future meeting.
 The report of the friends from our sisters
 of other Quarterly Meetings; also received the Lon-
 don Friend Letter. The reading of which we
 defer until another month. We conclude purpo-
 sing to meet next month at this place if permitted.
 Anna C. Gould, Secy.

All South Kingston monthly meeting of
 Friends held at Hopkinton 10 mo. 23rd 1876.
 Preparative accounts being presented the rep-
 resentatives therein named are Anna C. Gould,
 Lucas G. Babcock, Mary J. Collins, and
 Maria Henderson, whose names may be
 changed at any time.
 The meeting has been held in the
 usual place. The 10th of 10th
 was a very quiet meeting and the
 usual order of business was
 observed. The whole was governed with

some present to our next meeting, supposing
to be held at South River by Charles W. Collins
and Sarah A. Perry who are appointed our re-
presentatives. The Committee appointed last mo.
to visit Mary A. Rathbun on account of her
recent report that they have had an opportunity
with her and are united in granting her request,
not to refuse this meeting, and are united
concurring therein, and she is accordingly re-
ceived a member of the religious society of
Friends, and Catherine E. Babcock is appointed
to inform her of the decision of this meeting.
That the Southern General Executive Conference
much encouraging and salutary counsel.

This meeting concluded proposing to meet
at this place next month if permitted.

Anna H. Gould, Secy.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of 25
men Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 25th 1876.

Preparative Accounts being presented the repre-
sentatives therein named are Anna H. Gould, George
E. Babcock, Eliza Henderson and Sarah A. Perry
whose names being called are all present.

The representatives appointed to attend the
Quarterly Meeting inform that one of them
attended; the other was prevented by sickness.

Read at this time interesting epistles from our
sisters of London and Edinburgh Yearly Meetings,
which are instructive and cheering to us.

This meeting concluded proposing
to meet at Westover next month if permitted.

Anna H. Gould, Secy.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of 25
Friends held 12th month 25th 1876 at Western
Preparative accounts being presented the repre-
sentatives therein named are Sarah A. Perry, Eliza Jane
Collins, and George E. Babcock, whose names being

called are present except two. Our assumed friend Johnson Brewer attended this meeting; with a certificate from Malin, Ontario, Canada, endorsed by Westlake four months ago, expressing their unity with his concern.

His company and religious labors have been acceptable to us. We conclude purposing to meet again at this place next month if permitted.

Dorcas G. Babcock Clerk for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women held at Western 1st mo 22nd 1877.

Representatives present as representatives of the names are Anna A. Gould, Dorcas G. Babcock, Mary V. Collins and Harriet D. Collins whose names being called are all present.

The church was then read with minutes of the first, second, and tenth, from our preparative meetings. Our business was then selected those describing the same. Those which we forward with some business and report. Business being to be held at Kingston by Anna A. Gould and Electa Jane Collins who are appointed our representatives. We have been instructed and edified by the reading of Epistles from our sisters of Dublin, New York, Baltimore, and North Carolina Yearly Meetings.

The committee of men and women friends appointed some time since to consider the subject of making additions to the select meeting have brought forward the names of Electa J. Collins and Electa Jane Collins to the station of deacons which is fully united with by both meetings, and the clerk is desired to forward the information to the Quarterly Meeting for their consideration.

We conclude purposing to meet at this place next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould. Clerk.

South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women
held 2nd mo. 17th 1877 at Western Meetinghouse.

Preparative Accounts present the representatives
of the Queries, viz. Mary A. Allen, and Eliza
Henderson, whose names being called present. One of the representa-
tives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting informed
they both attended according to appointment.

An excellent Epistle from our sisters of Ohio
this meeting was read to our mutual benefit.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next
month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould.

South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women
Friends held at Western Meetinghouse 3rd mo. 26th 1877.

From the accounts present the following Queries are
appointed representatives to attend this meeting viz.
Dorcas G. Babcock, Sarah A. Perry, Eliza Henderson,
and Anna A. Gould. All of whom are present. This meeting is informed that Mary
A. Hazard has requested a removal certificate to
Rhode Island Monthly Meeting, - and Anna A. Gould
and Dorcas G. Babcock are appointed a committee
to make the necessary inquiry and if possible
nothing to prevent - produce one at a future
meeting. We conclude purposing to meet at
Peacedale next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould.

South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women
Friends held at Peacedale 4th mo. 13th 1877.

From the accounts present the following Queries
appointed representatives viz. Dorcas G. Babcock, Eliza
Henderson and Anna A. Gould, whose names
being called are present.

The Queries have been read with their respective
accounts from our publications, and the
following are related describing our plan of work
which we forward with some account to our next

Quarterly meeting to be held at East Greenwich
by Lewis S. Babcock and Ruth Ann Collins whom
we appoint our representatives.

Acceptably read excellent Epistles from Western, Iowa,
a warm friendly greeting to our congregation.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet at
this place next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

at South Kingston Monthly meeting of
Women Friends held at Peacedale 5th mo. 28th 1877.

Devotional services being presented the representatives
from various churches are: Sarah A. Perry, Anna Anna
Gould, Harriet D. Collins and Eliza Henderson, whose
names being called are present except two.

The committee appointed some time since to
prepare a petition in favor of the cause of
abolition. The subject of this petition to be presented
and forwarded to the General Convention, and
the result is to be given the same on the 1st
of the meeting. Read at this time a letter
from Anna Perry stating which is shipping
to us. The committee purposing to meet
next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

at South Kingston Monthly meeting of
Women Friends held at Peacedale 5th mo. 28th 1877.
By the accounts from our representative meetings,
the following friends were appointed representatives.
viz Anna Henderson, Sarah Ann Collins, Anna A. Gould,
and Sarah A. Perry whose names being called
are present except two. We conclude purpo-
sing to meet next month at this place if
permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Women Friends held at Peasestable 7th mo. 25th 1877.
Preparative accounts being presented the representatives
therein named are Anna S. Gould, Sarah J. Poyne,
Elizabeth Talton and Harriet S. Collins whose
names being called are all present.

The Quizzes have been sent with answers to
the first second, and third from our preparative
meetings. and therefore we have selected
those descriptions of present state which we
forward with some account to our next
Quarterly Meeting to be held at Newport
by Electa Jane Collins and Mary Anna Gould
who are appointed our representatives.

The preparative meeting informs that
Frederic C. Talton ^(not a member) and Anna C. Collins entered
marriage with each other according to the order
of Ministers, and we appointed Harriet S. Poyne
and Electa Jane Collins a committee to inquire
into her claims respecting marriage engage-
ments and report at our next monthly meeting.

Harriet S. Poyne read a report of the
Boarding School Committee.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next
month at this place if permitted.

Anna S. Gould Secy.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Women Friends held at Hopkinton 8th mo. 27th 1877.
Preparative accounts being presented the represen-
tatives therein named are Dorcas B. Babcock,
Anna S. Gould, Electa Jane Collins & Ruth
Ann Collins whose names being called are
present except two.

The representatives to Quarterly Meeting
informed they both attended.

The committee appointed last month to
inquire into the claims of Anna C. Collins
respecting marriage engagements report they
find nothing to prevent her proceeding in

marriage with Frederick A. Dalton, they having
consent of parents; and we appoint Electa Jane
Collins and Sarah A. ¹⁹Levy a committee to
have the consent of the marriage at a meeting
appointed at the house of Sister
E. Collins at half past three o'clock P.M.
the 28th of 3th month, and report at our next
monthly meeting.

The time being expired for which the
Society and Association were appointed it was
proposed to continue the same which was
last year, which meeting the approbation
of the meeting they are appointed for the
ensuing year. We also appoint Thomas B.
Babcock and Anna Maria Collins overseers
of the poor for the year ensuing.

Harriet L. Collins and Anna A. Gould
are appointed a committee to unite with a
similar committee of men friends to bring
forward ^{next month} names for Overseers of society.

We have received a circular from the Monthly
Meeting's committee in reference to the Anglo Amer-
ican Mission on Mount Lebanon in Syria,
desiring each monthly meeting to appoint a
committee to solicit funds to carry on the
work, and we appoint Harriet L. Collins &
Mary Anna Gould for that purpose.

This meeting concludes promising to
meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 1877.
Representatives from the following churches
being present were: Mary, Maria A. Cally,
Catharine E. Knowles, and Electa Jane Collins
whose names being called are present except one.
Cyrus Davis aged friend Rebecca Collins attended
this meeting with satisfactory credentials from
the North Monthly Meeting held 4th mo. 1877
introduced by Westbury Quarterly Meeting held in

Brooklyn 25 of 4th mo 1877. Her company and religious labors have been very encouraging and strengthening to us, and the Clerk is authorized to furnish her with a copy of this minute.

The marriage of Annie Emerson and an... report that it was orderly conducted.

The committee appointed to bring forward names for Officers of Society have produced the following viz. Lois Perry, Mary P. Babcock for South Kingston, Ruth Ann Collins and John H. Thummes for... which being united with they are appointed to that service for the year ensuing. We also unite with men friends in the reappointment of George S. Gould & John Babcock for South Kingston, and Peter H. Collins and John H. Thummes for... The committee presenting to meet next month at this place is...!

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at... 15th mo 1877.

Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Sarah A. Perry, Anna A. Gould, Mary E. Collins, and Harriet D. Collins whose names being called are present except one.

The Queries have been read at this time with answers to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd from our preparative meetings. and therefore we have selected those as the place & state of this meeting which we forward with the account to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Fall River by Anna A. Gould and Harriet D. Collins who are appointed our representatives. This meeting concludes promising to meet at this place next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at... 15th mo 1877.
Preparative Accounts present the representatives

therein named are those who, at
Annapolis and other conventions, are
being called on to assist except

in or the representatives who
attend it. Quarterly meeting informed they
both attended. This meeting concludes
purchasing to meet next month at Hissers
is hermitted.

Anna C. Gould, Sec.

At South Kingston, Monther
Woman Friends held at Hissers
1878. Preliminary accounts being
given, the following were read and
discussed. The following were read and
discussed. The following were read and
discussed.

At this time received information from
the Clerk of Rhode Island Monthly Meeting
that the removal certificate sent from
meeting on behalf of Mary to Hazard had
been received.

The following was proposed and
passed. The following was proposed and
passed.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Woman Friends held at Hissers
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discussed. The following were read and
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discussed.

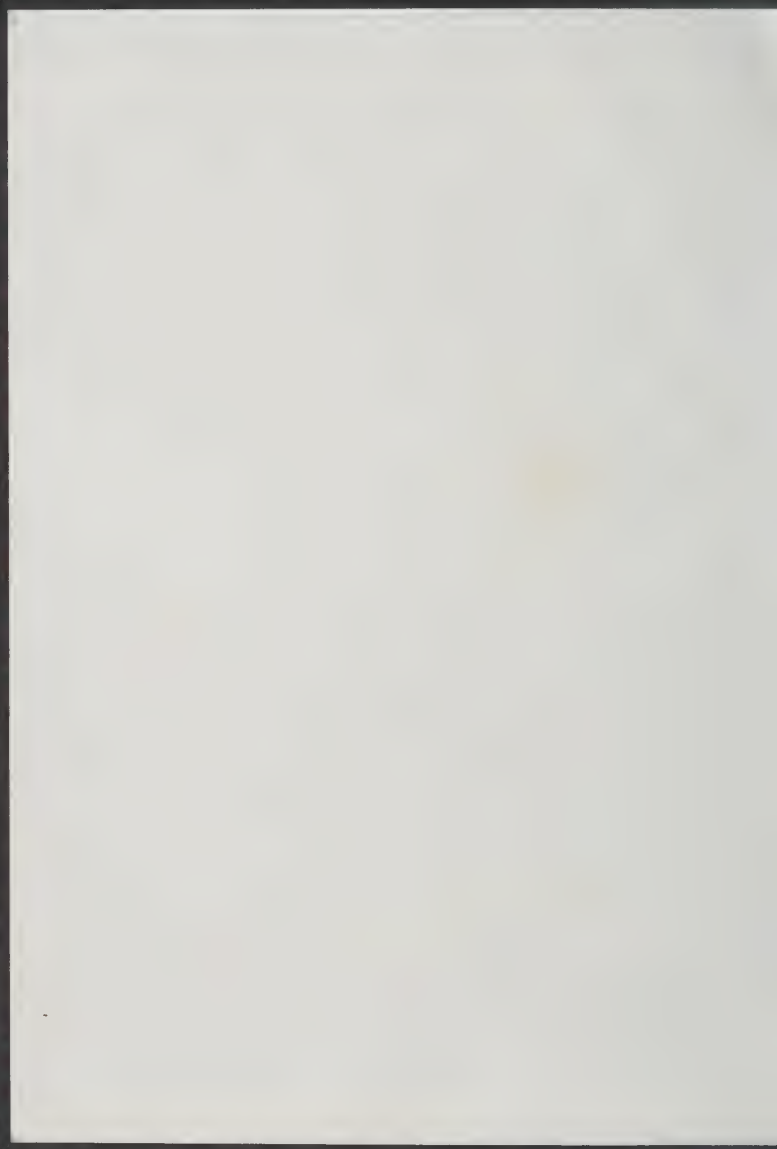
The following were read and
discussed. The following were read and
discussed. The following were read and
discussed.

Barthol. Ringden, usually,
writing of himself
/ Dear friends

Barthol. Ringden will
act on behalf of Mary C. Ringden
has been named at this time.

By direction of the Board of Trustees
of the Society of Friends held
at the 9th mo 27th 1877.

Love to all.



At North Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women's Friends held at Western 2nd mo. 25th 1878.

Re purposing to meet at Western next month if permitted.

Dorcas G. Babcock Secy.

At North Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women's Friends held at Western 2nd mo. 25th 1878.

Re purposing to meet at Western next month if permitted. Sarah A. Perry, Anna M. Collins and Eliza Henderson, whose names being called are present except one.

We are informed that the representatives to Quarterly Meeting both attended according to appointment.

The meeting concludes purposing to meet at Western next month if permitted.

At North Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women's Friends held at Western 3rd mo. 25th 1878.

Re purposing to meet at Western next month if permitted. Sarah A. Perry, Mary A. Gould, Harriet L. Collins and Eliza Henderson, whose names being called are present.

The meeting concludes purposing to meet at Western next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Secy.

At North Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women's Friends held at Western 4th mo. 22nd 1878.

Re purposing to meet at Western next month if permitted. Sarah A. Perry, Harriet L. Collins and Eliza Henderson, whose names being called are present.

The meeting concludes purposing to meet at Western next month if permitted, and the members have selected those describing the present state of this meeting which we are to forward with some

and South Kingston monthly meeting of Friends held at Ryeckdale 7th month 2nd 1878.

Preparative Accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Anna A. Gould, Dorcas G. Babcock, Electa Jane Collins, and Anna M. Collins whose names being called are all present.

The Queries have been read with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our preparative meetings and therefrom ^{we} have selected those most descriptive of our present state which we forward with some account to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Newport by Dorcas G. Babcock and Electa Jane Collins who are appointed our representatives. South Kingston preparative meeting informs that Ruth Carpenter requests to become a member of the religious society of friends, and we appoint Lois Perry and Sarah A. Perry a committee to visit her on that account and report to a future meeting.

Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Harriet E. Edwards formerly Hopkinton has for a long time entirely neglected the attendance of our meetings, and we appoint Anna M. Collins to visit her on that account and report to a future meeting.

Received at this time the Report of the Boarding School Committee which has been acceptably read.

Our friends inform they have appointed a committee to have the arrangement of meetings to be held at Western meeting house, and desire us if we see fit to appoint a committee to co-operate with them in the same object, and we appoint Lois Perry, Sarah A. Perry, Anna A. Gould, Anna M. Collins, and Electa Jane Collins to unite with them therein.

We appoint Dorcas G. Babcock and Lizzie M. Dalton a committee to join men friends in bringing forward names for overseers next month.

We conclude purposing to meet next month at Hopkinton if permitted.

Anna A. Gould. Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends
held at Hopkinton 8th mo. 26th 1873.

Preparative accounts being presented the representations therein named are Dorcas G. Babcock, Anna Anna Gould, Ruth Ann Collins and Anna M. Collins, whose names being called are all present.

The time for which the Clerks were appointed being expired the representatives propose the reappointment of Anna A. Gould for Clerk and Dorcas G. Babcock for Assistant which being satisfactory to the meeting they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year.

The Committee appointed last month to bring forward names for Overseers of Society have decided to produce the same as served last year viz. Lois Perry, Mary P. Babcock, Ruth Ann Collins and Electa Jane Collins, which meeting the approbation of the meeting they are accordingly appointed to that service for one year, having the unity of men friends therein.

We also unite with men friends in the reappointment of George W. Gould, John Babcock, Peter M. Collins and John H. Knowles to the service of Overseers ^{of Society} for the ensuing year.

This meeting reappoints Dorcas G. Babcock and Anna M. Collins Overseers of the Poor for ^{the} year ensuing.

We are informed that one of the representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting attended, the other gave a reasonable excuse for her absence.

We have received at this time Epistles from our Sisters of other Yearly Meetings and have acceptably read one from London, and one from Dublin, which is refreshing and encouraging to us.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South - Kingston Monthly Meeting
of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo.
23rd 1878. Preparative accounts being
presented the representatives therein named
are Mary P. Babcock, Sarah A. Perry, Mary
J. Collins and Harriet D. Collins whose names
being called are all present. The committee
appointed to visit Harriet D. Edwards reports
that she desires to be released from member-
ship with our Society. This meeting grants
her request, having the unity of men friends
therein, and we appoint Anna M. Collins to
inform her of her release.

South Kingston preparative meeting in-
forms that Mary Ann Browning wife of Robert
Browning requests to join the Society of friends.
Harriet D. Collins and Sarah A. Perry are ap-
pointed a committee to visit her on that account
and report at a future meeting.

We unite with men friends in appointing
William F. Perry and William T. Collins as au-
ditors of accounts for the ensuing year.

An Epistle has been read at this time from
North Carolina Yearly Meeting which has been
encouraging to our souls.

This meeting concludes purposing to
meet next month at this place if permitted.

Sarah A. Perry
Clerk for this time.

South Kingston

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo. 28th. 1878.
Preparative accounts being presented the repre-
sentatives therein named are Anna M. Gould,
Dorcas S. Babcock Lizzie M. Dalton, and Mary
J. Collins, whose names being called are present
except one.

The Queries have been read at this time with
answers to the 1st, 2nd, and 10th from our prepar-
ative meetings, and therefrom we have selected

those describing our present state which we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Fall River, by Harriet D. Collins and Mary Anna Gould who are appointed our representatives.

The committee appointed to visit Ruth Carpenter on account of her request reported they had attended to that duty and are of the opinion that she is a suitable person to be admitted into membership with the Society of Friends.

This meeting accepts the report and are united in granting her request, having the unity of men friends therein, and we appoint Anna A. Gould to inform her thereof.

The committee appointed to visit Mary Ann Browning wife of Robert Browning reported "they had visited her satisfactorily and were of the opinion that she is a suitable candidate for membership among us." This meeting accepts the report and are united in granting her request, having the concurrence of men friends therein, and the clerk is desired to inform her of the decision of this meeting.

An excellent Epistle from New York Yearly Meeting has been read to our edification.

We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 11th mo. 23rd 1878.

Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Sarah A. Berry, Dorcas A. Babcock, Mary T. Collins, and Anna M. Collins whose names being called are ^{all} always except our. For the absence of one a reasonable excuse was rendered.

The clerk informed the meeting that she had attended to her appointment of last month.

We are informed the representatives appointed

to attend the Quarterly Meeting did not attend, one of them was prevented by sickness.

We conclude purposing to meet at Western next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 12th mo 3rd 1878. Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Dorcas G. Babcock, Lois E. Babcock, Ruth Ann Hollins, and Mary L. Hollins, whose names being called are present except two, for whose absence sufficient reasons were given.

We have been instructed and edified in the reading of Epistles from our Sisters of Baltimore Ohio and Indiana Yearly Meetings.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 1st mo 27th 1879. Preparative Accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Dorcas G. Babcock, Anna A. Hollins and Lizzie M. Dalton, two were absent; prevented by indisposition.

The Society have been much indebted to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our preparative meetings, and therefore we have selected those describing our present state which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Providence by Harriet D. Hollins, and Dorcas G. Babcock whom we appoint our representatives.

Read at this time an excellent Epistle from Western Yearly Meeting.

We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Wester 2nd mo 24th 1877.
 Preparative accounts present the representatives
 therein named are Dorcas G. Babcock, Mary
 L. Collier and Epie Thunderson whose
 names being called are present.

The representative appointed to attend the
 Quarterly Meeting report they both attended.

Read at this time Epistles from Iowa and
 Kansas Yearly Meetings which are continually
 encouraging to our minds.

We conclude proposing to meet
 next month at Peacedale if permitted.
 Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Wester 3rd mo 24th 1878.

Representative accounts being presented the
 representatives therein named are Mary E.
 Babcock, Dorcas G. Babcock, Mary L. Collier,
 and Sarah A. Perry, whose names being
 called are present except two for whose
 absence a reasonable excuse was rendered.

Read at this time Epistles from our
 sisters of Kansas Yearly Meeting, and
 Brumana on Mt. Lebanon, both of which are
 unusually interesting and instructive.

We conclude proposing to meet
 next month at Peacedale if permitted.

Dorcas G. Babcock
 Assistant Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Peacedale 4th mo. 21st 1879. Preparative accounts being presented

the representatives therein named are Epie A. Collier, Mary Anna Thunderson, Elizabeth Jane Thunderson, and Sarah A. Perry whose names being called are present except one.

The donors have been read with their respective
donations previous to the meeting, and
having selected those subscribing our present
state we forwarded the same to our next quarterly
meeting to be held at East Greenwich by David
G. Babcock and Electa Long Collins who appointed
our representatives.

Our dear friend Mary Tracy attended this
meeting with a minute of unity from the
monthly meeting of friends expressing of their
unity with her as a minister and in her present
religious engagement.

The company and religious services have
been very acceptable to us; and the clerk is directed
to furnish her with a copy of this minute.

Our dear friend Susan G. Huntington accompanied
to our friend Mary Tracy attended this meeting
with a minute of concurrence from New Bedford
monthly meeting of friends expressing of their
unity with her and with her present engagement.

The company and religious services have
been very acceptable to us; and the clerk is directed
to furnish her with a copy of this minute.

This notation has received a notation from
the Preparative meeting of Ministers and Elders
held 3rd mo. 12th 1871 that the subject of approving
the gift in the ministry of Harriet D. Allen
was considered and fully united with, and
was also fully united with in this meeting
which information we forward to the Quar-
terly Meeting for its consideration.

We also unite with our friends in the
preparation of the next Preparative Meeting
in approving the gift in the Ministry of
William Henry Perry.

This meeting concludes pur-
posing to meet next month at this place
if permitted.

Anna H. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Women Friends held at Peace Dale 6th mo. 2nd 1873.

By the account from our Preparative Meeting it appears that the representatives are Lois B. Babcock, Dorcas B. Babcock, Ruth Ann Collins and Mary A. Collins whose names being called are present except one.

One of the representatives appointed to attend the District Meeting informed they both attended.

This meeting concludes proposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.
Anna D. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Peace Dale 5th mo. 23rd 1873.

Preparative Meeting having presented the representatives chosen named are Mary B. Babcock, Dorcas B. Babcock, Ruth Ann Collins and Sarah A. Perry whose names being called are present except one, who was prevented by indisposition in her family.

Wapington Preparative Meeting informs that a complaint has been presented to them by the members of the Monthly Meeting against Eliza Henderson for slander and attraction; and this meeting appoints Anna W. Collins, Sarah A. Perry and Dorcas B. Babcock a committee to visit her on that account and report to a future meeting.

We conclude proposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.
Dorcas B. Babcock
Assistant Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Peace Dale 7th mo. 28th 1873.

By the account from our Preparative Meeting it appears that the representatives

Ann Collins and Harriet L. Collins whose names being called are all present.

The Minutes have been read with thanks to the 1st and 2nd from our Committee and having selected those describing our present state, which we forward with some account to our monthly meeting to be held at Hopkinton. Ruth Ann Collins and Lewis E. Burdick are appointed our representatives.

The committee appointed last month to visit Eliza Henderson have made the following report & viz.

"We your committee appointed to visit Eliza Henderson on account of the complaint brought against her from Hopkinton Preparative Meeting, for intemperance and slander, hereby report that we have had an opportunity with her, and found her perfectly self-satisfied with the course she had taken, and unwilling to make any concession to the society which in our judgment is sufficient cause for denying her the right of membership in our society, which we submit to the monthly meeting.

Anna M. Collins

Loreas E. Babcock

Sarah A. Perry

Committee"

Hopkinton
7th mo. 19th 1879.

Which the meeting accepted and decided to deny her the right of membership with us, having the full unity of men friends therein, and Ruth Ann Collins is appointed to inform her thereof.

Men friends have presented a report against James Henderson which they have accepted in denying him from being a member in the society of Friends with which this meeting corresponds.

The report of the Boarding School has been acceptably read at this time.

We conclude purposing to meet at Hopkinton next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk

At South Kingston, at a meeting of
 Women Friends held at Hopkinton, Mass.
 25th 1879.

Organization commenced having
 presented the representatives therein named
 as follows: L. S. Babcock, L. E. Babcock,
 Eliza Jane Collins, and Eliza M. Dalton
 whose names being
 called over for consent except one.

The time having expired for which the clerk
 and assistant were appointed, it was proposed to
 reappoint the same that served last year viz.
 Anna A. Gould for clerk, and Lorenus S. Babcock
 for assistant, which being satisfactory to the
 meeting they are appointed to that service
 for the ensuing year.

The time having expired for which the
 messengers of the Poor were appointed it was
 proposed to reappoint the same that served
 last year viz. Lorenus S. Babcock for South
 Kingston and Anna M. Collins for Hopkinton,
 which being approved by the meeting they are
 appointed for the year ensuing to that service.

Anna A. Gould and Sarah A. Perry are
 appointed a committee to bring forward
 names for Overseers of Society next month.

The representatives appointed to
 attend the ... Quarterly Meeting in-
 form they attended according to appointment.

We unite with our friends in wishing
 Robert Bronning Junr. a member of the
 religious Society of Friends.

The committee appointed last month
 to inform Eliza M. Henshaw of the
 decision of this meeting in her case,
 has attended thereto.

This meeting concludes
 purposing to meet at this place
 next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting
 of the Friends, held at South Kingston Nov 22nd
 1877. By the accounts from our preparative
 meetings the representatives therein named are
 Loras T. Babcock, Mary Jane Gould, Sarah
 Ann Collins, and Sarah A. Perry, whose
 names being called are present.

The time having expired for which
 the Officers of Society were appointed,
 the committee were united in the proposi-
 tion of appointing the same that served
 last year, viz. Miss Perry, Mary T. Babcock,
 Sarah Ann Collins, and Electa Jane Collins,
 which meeting the approbation of this
 meeting, and the same meeting also, they
 are appointed to that service for the year
 ensuing.

South Kingston Preparative Meeting
 informs that Abel Tanner, Mary Jane Tanner,
 Matilda Tanner, and Mary Lucinda Tanner
 have requested to become members of the religious
 Society of Friends; and therefore we appoint Ruth
 Ann Collins and Electa Jane Collins a committee
 to visit them on that account and report to a
 future meeting.

This meeting is informed through the
 Overseers that Eliza M. Collins, wife of Francis
 W. Collins requests for herself and her infant
 son Francis William Collins, to become members of
 the Society of Friends. Also, her sister, Eliza M. Collins
 makes the same request for herself. Sarah A. Perry
 and Anna A. Gould are appointed a committee
 to confer with them on that account and
 report to a future meeting.

This meeting is informed by friends and
 Friends themselves that they intend to appeal from
 the decision of the Monthly Meeting, and we appoint
 Sarah A. Perry, Loras T. Babcock and Electa Jane
 Collins a committee to represent the Monthly
 meeting in the case.

The concluding prayer
 was read at our place next month if
 permitted. Anna M. Gould, Clerk.

Report of Committee.

The South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Women Friends held at Exeter 18th Sept.
By the accounts from our preparative meetings
the representatives therein named are
would, they be, Sarah Ann Collins, and
Catharine E. Knowles, whose names being called
in all present accept and who are in
inconsistency. The committee appointed to visit
with Alice V. Collins and Nellie Burdick on
account of their request to become members
of our Society have made the following report viz.

"The committee appointed to visit Alice
V. Collins on account of her request to become a
member of the Society of Friends report, that
we found her earnest and sincere in her request,
and fully realizing the importance of the position
she desires, and we are in favor of her being
accepted with her infant son.

We also report that we found her sister
Nellie Burdick sincere in desiring to become
a member of Friends Society, and although tender
in years we believe she comprehends the step she
desires to take. And we recommend that
our christian care and oversight be extended
to her. All of which we submit to the
Monthly Meeting.

Anna A. Gould
Sarah A. Poley

Exeter
9th mo 23rd 1879.

Committee."

Which report has been united with by both Meetings. And
the Women have been united with Friends
to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our preparative meet-
ings and having selected those desiring join
present state, we forward the same to the next
Quarterly Meeting to be held at Fall River by
Sarah Ann Collins, Electa Jane Collins, and
Mary Ann Gould who are appointed our repre-
sentatives.

The committee appointed to visit Abel
Gunnar and family have made the following
report viz.

The Clerk is requested to inform them thereof.

"We the committee appointed to visit Abel Tanner and family on account of their request report that we have had an opportunity with them, and are united in granting their request to become members of our religious Society.

Hopkinton 11th mo. 25th 1877.

Edward M. Collins
Peter H. Collins
Ruth Ann Collins
Electa Jane Collins

The foregoing report has been united with by both meetings and Peter H. Collins was appointed to inform them of their reception into our Society.

The business of the meeting being through we conclude proposing to meet again next month at this place if permitted.

Sarah A. Perry
Clerk for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 24th 1877. Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Mary T. Babcock, Dorcas G. Babcock, Ruth Ann Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present except one.

Our dear friend Calvin S. Goddard a minister attended this meeting with a Minute of concurrence from Palmyra Monthly of Friends held at Portland 6th mo. 26th 1877. expressing their unity with him as a minister and with his present religious engagement. His company and gospel labors have been very acceptable and encouraging to us. The clerk is authorized to sign a Minute prepared by our friends on behalf of this meeting. Our dear friend Lucy R. Goddard, attended this meeting with a Minute of unity from Palmyra Monthly Meeting of friends held at Portland 6th mo. 26th 1877.

Her company and religious labors have been very acceptable to us.

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The clerk is desired to furnish her with a copy of this minute. We are informed that only two of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended.

The clerk has informed Alice S. Collins and her sister William Burdick that they are received as members of our religious Society.

We have received the following communication from Lydia S. Gould requesting to be released from membership with Friends.

"To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends
Dear Friends. — As a member of another religious denomination, I would most respectfully resign my membership with Friends. In Christian love.
Lydia S. Gould."

This meeting is united in granting her request having the concurrence of men Friends therein, and the clerk is requested to inform her thereof.

The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at Western, if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

The Womens Monthly Meeting in 12th mo. was omitted on account of a severe storm.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 1st mo. 26th 1880. By the accounts from our preparative meetings the representatives therein named were Anna S. Gould, Lucas S. Dubock, Ruth Ann Collins and Mary G. Collins whose names being called are present except one. The Queries have been read with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our preparative meetings, and we have selected those describing our present state which are to be forwarded to the next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Providence by Lucas S. Dubock and Harriette G. Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

The clerk has informed Lydia S. Gould of the decision of the meeting in regard to her resignation.

We are informed that Mary W. Collins widow of Peleg W. Collins requests our certificate for herself and two of her minor children, and the meeting appoints Anna A. Gould and Dorcas B. Babcock a committee to prepare one if nothing prevents, and present to a future meeting. Read at this time the London General Epistle fraught with deep instruction and encouragement. The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 23rd of 2nd mo. 1880.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Dorcas B. Babcock, Lois E. Babcock, Ruth Ann Collins and Mary S. Collins, whose names being called are present except two.

One of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting informed that she attended, the other was prevented by sickness in her family.

The committee, appointed to prepare a certificate for Mary W. Collins not being ready to report, the case is continued under their care.

The business being through we conclude purposing to meet again next month at this place if permitted.

Dorcas B. Babcock
Assistant Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 3rd mo. 22 1880.

Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Anna A. Gould, Mary Anna Gould, Harriette D. Collins, Mary C. Collins, whose names being called are present.

We have received at this time from the Clerk of R. I. Quarterly Meeting a document informing that the judgement of South Kingston monthly meeting in the case of the disavowment of Eliza W. Henderson was reversed

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by the Quarterly Meeting through its Committee,
which this meeting defers the consideration of
until our next monthly meeting.

The committee appointed to prepare a certificate
for Mary W. Collins and her minor children have
presented the following viz.

"To Providence Monthly Meeting of Women
Friends Rhode Island.

Dear Friends. — Mary W. Collins, widow
of the late Peleg W. Collins having removed
with two of her minor children — Lillian
Gardner Collins, and Peleg Clarke Collins, to
reside within the limits of your meeting has
requested our certificate. This may certify that
they are members of our religious society,
of orderly life and conversation as far as
we know; and nothing appears but that
her temporal affairs are settled to satisfac-
tion. As such we recommend them to
your christian care and are your friends.

South Kingston.

3rd mo 18th 1880.

Anna A Gould,

Loreas & Babcock,
Committee."

This meeting and our men friends also
accepts the certificate, and directs to have
it signed and forwarded.

And at this time Epistles from our
sisters of London, Dublin, New York
Baltimore and North Carolina which
contain excellent counsel and instru-
-tion. The business of the meeting
being through we conclude purposing to
meet next month at Peacedale if permitted.
Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Women Friends held at Peacedale 4th mo 21st 1880.

Supperation accounts present the representa-
-tives therein named are Anna A. Gould, Harriet
D. Collins, Catharine B. Throckmole whose names
being called are present.

To South Kingstown Monthly
Meeting of Friends

Dear Friends

By the direction
of Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting of Friends
held at Providence 2nd Mo 5th 1888, you are
hereby informed, that the judgment
of your Monthly Meeting, in the case of
Eliza Henderson, was by the action of
this Meeting (through its Committee) reversed
a sufficient number ^{thereof} failing to sign the report
in conformity with discipline to sustain the same.
She is therefore reinstated to her rights as
a member thereof.

Signed on behalf of
Said Quarterly Meeting, held as aforesaid
Sam^l R. Buffinton Clerk

The Queries have been read with their respective answers from our preparative meetings and having selected those describing our present state which are forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at East Greenwich by Dorcas G. Babcock, Harriette L. Collins and Catharine E. Knowles whom we appoint our representatives.

Read at this time Epistles from our Sisters of Ohio, Indiana, Western, Iowa, Canada and Kansas Yearly Meetings which are replete with encouragement and good advice.

In joint Session of the Monthly Meeting the following friends were appointed to have a care over Eliza Henderson, and advise her not to disturb our meetings by speaking in them or otherwise, William D. Collins, Dorcas G. Babcock, Anna M. Collins, and Robert Browning. The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Peacedale 5th mo 24th 1880.

Preparative accounts being presented, the representatives therein named are Dorcas G. Babcock, Catharine E. Knowles, Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present. The representatives to Quarterly Meeting informed they attended agreeable to appointment.

The Committee appointed last month in joint session of men and women Friends present the following report viz.

"We the committee appointed by South Kingston Monthly Meeting 4th mo 26th 1880 to advise Eliza Henderson report. "We have had an opportunity with her, and extended the advice which the Monthly Meeting directed; and found her expressing entire satisfaction with her past conduct and all she has said,

and would make no concession as to her future conduct but finding much fault with and accusing many friends of wrong doings—and the monthly meeting as untruthfully answering the queries.

Robert Browning

William J. Collins

Lucas S. Babcock

Anna M. Collins

The labors of the Committee are satisfactory and the report is received and the committee released from further service.

Received the following complaint against Eliza Henderson viz. "Hopkinton 5th mo 13th 1880. The Overseers of Hopkinton Preparative Meeting are united in bringing a complaint against Eliza Henderson in transgressing the rules of discipline by associating friends wrongfully—disturbing friends meetings, and not taking up with the advice of South Kingston Monthly Meeting.

Butt Ann Collins

Eliza Jane Collins Overseers."

And this meeting denies her the right of membership with us until she returns and makes friends satisfaction.

As this meeting is held in joint session Mrs. J. Collins and Anna S. Gould are appointed to inform her of her disownment and of her right to appeal to the Quarterly Meeting.

The business of the meeting being through we conclude postponing to meet next month at this place is permitted.

Anna S. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Percival 6th mo 21st 1880. By the accounts received from our Preparative meetings the representatives therein named are Mary S. Babcock Mary Anna Gould Mary C. Collins and Catharine E. Knowles

whose names being called are present except two for whose absence satisfactory reasons were rendered.

Abel J. Collins is Clerk of the joint session last month he informed Eliza Henderson of her dis-
 ownership and of her right to appeal.

The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
 Women Friends held at Stone Lake 1st mo. 1880.

By the accounts received from our Preparative meetings the representatives therein named are
 Susan L. Houghton, chosen at South Kingston
 Mary, and Harriette L. Collins whose names
 being called are present.

The Querie's have been read with Ans.
 to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our Preparative
 Meetings; and having selected those descri-
 ving our present state we forward the same
 to our next quarterly Meeting to be held
 at Newport by Susan L. Houghton and
 Harriette L. Collins whom we appoint our
 representatives.

Our dear Friend Sarah Ann Sutherland
 attended this meeting with a certificate of con-
 currence from Boston Monthly Meeting held
 at Beckfoot endorsed by Cumberland Quarterly
 Meeting held at Danbury 8 mo. 1879 and
 1880, also endorsed by London Yearly Meeting
 expressing their unity with her as a Minister
 and with her present religious engagement.

Her company and Gospel labors have been
 very satisfactory and encouraging to us.

Our dear Friend Mary White attended this
 meeting with a certificate of concurrence
 from Edinburgh Two Months-meeting held
 at Glasgow 11 of 3rd mo. 1880, endorsed by the
 General Meeting for Scotland held at Edinburgh.

5th month 1880 expressing their unity with
us as a Minister and with her personal religious
engagements. The exchange and Gospel services
have been very acceptable and encouraging to
us. Mr. Clark is authorized to furnish them
with copies of these Minutes.

We have received and read the Report of the
Beverly School Committee.

We appoint Harriette D. Collins and Dorcas
G. Babcock a Committee to unite with a sim-
ilar committee of men friends to bring
forward names next month for overseers
of society.

The business of the meeting
being through we conclude purposing to meet at
Hopkinton next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women
Friends held at Hopkinton 5th mo. 23rd. 1880.

Narrative accounts being presented the representatives
therein named are, Mary B. Babcock, Dorcas G. Babcock,
Luth Ann Collins and Harriet D. Collins.

The time having expired for which the clerks
were appointed having expired, it was proposed to
continue the same that served last year which
being satisfactory to the meeting they are ap-
pointed to that service for the ensuing year.

The committee appointed last month to
bring forward names for Overseers of society
have produced the following Lois Perry, Mary B.
Babcock, Luth Ann Collins and Ethel Lane Collins
which being satisfactory to this and the mens
meeting also, they are appointed to that service

for Overseers of the poor we appoint the
following viz. Dorcas G. Babcock for South Kingston
and Anne Ann Collins for Hopkinton.

This meeting unites with men friends in the
appointment of John Babcock, George S. Gould

At an adjourned meeting of the Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 10th 17th 1860. Received at this time a certificate from the Monthly Meeting which we accept of Isaac Sutton to unite in marriage with Mary in N. Sutton, at a meeting appointed for the purpose at Adams N. Sutton the 14th at three o'clock in the afternoon. And at the request of Isaac Sutton and Mary N. Sutton we appointed Abner J. Sutton of Adams N. Sutton and Abner J. Sutton and William W. Berry to constitute a committee to look after the arrangements of their wedding and report at our next monthly meeting. The business of the meeting being concluded, proposing to meet the 1st of September at the place of permission.

Done at South Kingston

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 10th 17th 1860. By the accounts received from our sister churches the representation there would be small, I was of course, they were small and Abner J. Sutton and Mary N. Sutton being called are present except one.

The Limerick have been sent with answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th from our sister churches and having selected those distributing pamphlets and state we forward the same to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Fall River by which time Abner J. Sutton and William W. Berry, whom we appointed our representatives.

The committee appointed to attend the marriage of Isaac Sutton and Mary N. Sutton report it was solemnly committed, and meeting to be in Springfield.

The business of the meeting being concluded, proposing to meet the 1st of September at the place of permission.

Done at South Kingston

To South Kingstown Monthly Meeting
of Friends

Dear friends

Isaac Sutton, a member
of this meeting, has communicated to us his
intention of marriage with a member of
your Monthly Meeting.

We hereby certify on his
behalf that due attention has been paid
to the rules to be observed on such occasions;
and no objections arising, we leave him at
liberty for further proceedings in regard
to his intended marriage, & remain, with
love, your friends. Signed on behalf
of Providence Monthly Meeting held the
29th of 9th Mo. 1880.

Thomas J. Battey
Louisa S. Meader, } Clerks.
Thomas Harkness Correspondent



At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women
Friends held at Western 11th and 22nd 1880.
The Preparative account being presented the representatives

Mr. Perry from Hopkinton, whose name being called was
present. The account from South Kingston.

Received and read at this time the London General
Epistle fraught with much instruction and excellent
counsel.

The business of the meeting be-
ing through we adjourned to meet next
month at Western if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women
Friends held at Western 27th and 28th mo. 1880

Preparative accounts present and only
one representative on account of a severe
storm blocking up the roads.

Whatever business there might be is de-
ferred until next monthly meeting
be held at this place.

Lorens S. Babcock Assistant clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Women Friends held at Western 11th and 22nd mo. 1881.

Preparative accounts present the representa-
tives therein named are Lorens S. Babcock,
Mary P. Babcock, Mary Anna Gould and
Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called
are present except one.

The Queries have been read with answers
to the first second and fourth from our pre-
vious meetings, and having selected those describing
our present state we adjourned the same to our next
monthly meeting to be held at Western by our
representatives Mary P. Babcock Lorens S. Babcock
and Mary Anna Gould. We conclude pur-
suing to meet next month at this place if permitted.
Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 2nd mo. 24th 1851.

Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Mary B. Babcock, Dorcas B. Babcock, Ruth Ann Collins and Mary Ann Gould whose names being called are present except two, for whose absence satisfactory reasons were given.

One of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended, the others were prevented by the severe cold weather.

We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Dorcas B. Babcock Secy. Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 3rd mo. 24th 1851

Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Dorcas B. Babcock, Anna A. Gould, Elvira Perry and Harriette A. Collins whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition.

It is intimated that Lizzie M. Sutton has requested a removal of her residence to Springfield Monthly Meeting Randolph County North Carolina, and we appoint Harriette A. Collins and Elvira Perry a committee to prepare one and present to our next Monthly Meeting. The business of the meeting being "through" we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Prudence 6th mo. 25th 1851. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Dorcas

G. Babcock, Ruth Ann Collins, and Georgia Brown, whose names being called are present.

The Queries have been read with their respective answers from our preparative meetings, and having selected those answering the present state which we forward to the account to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at East Greenwich by Ruth Ann Collins, and Anna A. Gould who are appointed our representatives. The committee appointed last month to prepare a certificate for sister M. Sumner have produced one with which this meeting unites, having the approbation of men friends & friends, and the meeting agrees to have it signed and forwarded.

The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston meeting, the thing of women Friends held at South Kingston, preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Dorcas G. Babcock, Ruth Ann Collins and Mary Anna Gould whose names being called are present.

We are informed the representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting both attended.

The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Dorcas G. Babcock
Assistant Clerk.

following.

The certificate should have been read before the friends of the 5th month, but was omitted through inadvertence at the time of writing.

Certificate

To Springfield Monthly meeting of Friends Randolph Co. North Carolina. Lizzie M. Gullett a member of South Kingston Monthly Meeting Rhode Island. New England Yearly Meeting, having removed to reside within your limits requests our certificate.

We bear witness to her consistent religious life and conversation, her deep interest in the church of her choice, and her zeal for the salvation of others. All her business affairs are satisfactorily adjusted. We most tenderly commend her to your christian sympathy and care. Signed in and on behalf of South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends Decr 14th 1851.

Wm. H. Perry, Clerk.
Anna A. Gould,

Peter H. Collins Correspondent.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends Decr 14th 1851.

Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Peter H. Collins, Elvira M. Perry, and Dorcas G. Babcock whose names being called are present except one. At this time received information that the removal certificate sent from this meeting to Springfield Monthly Meeting Rhode Island on behalf of Lizzie M. Gullett has been cordially received. The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet and worship at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends Decr 14th 1851.
Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Dorcas G. Babcock, Ruth Lee, Harriette D. Collins, and Elvira M. Perry whose names being

called are present except one for whose absence a reasonable excuse was tendered.

The Queries have been read with due to the 24th & 10th young men preparative meetings and being selected. These meetings are printed and as far as the same to our next quarterly meeting to be held at Houghton by Harriette L. Collins and Daniel S. Babcock who are appointed our representatives.

Harriette L. Collins and Daniel S. Babcock are appointed a committee to write with a similar committee of men friends to bring forward names and as far as they can for members of society next month.

Our dear friend Harriette L. Collins opened in this meeting a sermon on the subject of attending some meetings within the limits of several Quarters. Meetings of about England yearly sitting and appointing some meetings as may may show for it which claiming the same consideration of this meeting was well united with and she left of Houghton to pursue her prospect to the Lord may direct, she being a minister in good esteem amongst us, and the Clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute.

The business of the meeting finished through we conclude purposing to meet next month at Houghton if permitted.

Wm. A. Brown's name

at South Hingham Monthly Meeting at Houghton Friends held at Houghton Nov. 2 - 1841.

Minutes of accounts being presented by a committee their names are Daniel S. Babcock, Mary P. Babcock, Ruth Ann Collins and Mary Anna

which the clerk read and the meeting is
held in the presence of Mr. W. H. H. and
Mr. J. H. H. and Mr. J. H. H. and Mr. J. H. H.
The committee on the subject of
bringing forward names for the service of
the following report viz.

For South Division, George H. H. H.,
H. H. H., H. H. H., and H. H. H.
For North Division, H. H. H., H. H. H.,
H. H. H., H. H. H., and H. H. H.
which being approved by both men and women
present, they are appointed to that service for
the ensuing year.

For the service of the poor we realize
that we must have a committee for
Winston-Salem, H. H. H., H. H. H., and
H. H. H.

One of the representatives appointed
at the last Executive meeting in
the month of January.

The committee on the subject of
the service of the poor, H. H. H.,
H. H. H., and H. H. H.

The committee on the subject of
the service of the poor, H. H. H.,
H. H. H., and H. H. H.

The committee on the subject of
the service of the poor, H. H. H.,
H. H. H., and H. H. H.

The committee on the subject of
the service of the poor, H. H. H.,
H. H. H., and H. H. H.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Men and Women Friends held ⁱⁿ joint session (as but two women were present) 1st mo. 23rd 1882. By the accounts from the Preparative Meeting the representatives are from Hopkinton Peter H. Collins, William H. Perry, Mary A. Gould and Mary S. Collins, who are present except one.

The Queries have been read in this meeting and followed by the usual answers, which we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Providence by John Babcock, William H. Perry, Dorcas G. Babcock and Mary A. Gould whom we appoint as our representatives.

William H. Perry Clerk.

(For the remainder of the business relative to financial affairs we refer the readers to the men's book of records.)

South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 2nd mo. 20th 1882. Preparative account present the representatives therein named are Mary S. Collins and Mary Anna Gould who ~~were~~ present except one.

Read at this time Epistles from our sisters of New York and North Carolina which are very interesting to us all.

The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting both attended.

The business being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 3rd mo. 27th 1882. Preparative account being presented the representatives therein named are Mary S. Collins and Harriette D. Collins whose names being called are present. Received a removal certificate from Windham Monthly Meeting of Friends (in Maine) in

favor of Elizabeth M. Perry which we cordially accept. Read at this time Epistles from Ohio, Indiana, Western and Iowa Yearly Meetings which is encouraging to us all.

The business of the Meeting being through we conclude supposing to meet next month at Peace Dale if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

Certificate

To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends N. E.

Dear Friends — Elizabeth M. Perry having removed within the limits of your Meeting requests our Certificate.

This is to certify that she is a Member of this meeting and has settled her affairs to satisfaction.

We recommend her to your christian care and oversight.

By direction of Windham Monthly Meeting held at Windham Me. 2nd month 17th 1882.

Oliver Pope
Correspondent.

Nathan Pope } Clerks
Lydia M. Pope }

South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Peace Dale 4th mo 24th 1882.

By the account from our preparative meeting meeting the representatives therein named are Elizabeth M. Perry and Mary A. Collins, whose names being called are present.

The Queries have been read with their respective Answers from our preparative meeting which we forward with the account to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at East Greenwich by Dorcas B. Babcock and Ruth Ann Collins who are appointed our representatives.

Excellent Epistles have been read from Canada and Kansas Yearly Meetings to our satisfaction.

The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Peacedale 5th mo 22nd 1882. The Preparative accounts being presented the representative therein named is Elizabeth M. Perry who was present. One of the representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting informed they both attended. The business being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Peacedale 6th mo 26th 1882.

The Accounts from the Preparative meeting being presented the representatives therein named are Ruth Ann Collins, Eliza Jane Collins, Anna A. Gould and Dorcas J. Babcock whose names being called are present.

Our beloved friend Joseph Stanley is in attendance of this meeting and produced a Minute from Damascus Monthly Meeting Ohio, endorsed by Damascus Quarterly Meeting expressive of their unity with him as a Minister and with his present religious engagement. His company and Gospel services are very acceptable to us, and the clerk is authorized to sign on our behalf a minute prepared for him by men friends.

The business being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

We have received a communication from Mary W. Rathbun requesting to become a member of Religious Society of Friends, and Anna A. Gould and Mary F. Collins are appointed a committee to confer with her on that account and report to a future meeting.

The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Peacedale 7th mo. 24th 1882.

The accounts from the Preparative Meetings being presented the representatives there named are Anna A. Gould, Dorcas G. Babcock, Harriette L. Collins and Elizabeth A. Perry whose names being called are present.

The Queries have been read with Ans. to the 1st 2nd & 10th from our Preparative Meetings which we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by Harriette L. Collins and Elizabeth A. Perry whom we appoint our representatives. The Committee appointed to visit Mary W. Rathbun on account of her request made the following report viz. "At the Monthly Meeting.

"We the committee appointed to visit Mary W. Rathbun report that we have had a satisfactory interview with her.

Although young in years, she appears in some measure to understand the principles of the Society, and approving of them considers it her duty thereby to make a public profession of religion; all of which we submit to the Monthly Meeting.

On behalf of the Committee
Anna A. Gould."

Richmond 7th mo. 5th 1882.

This meeting, and also the mens meeting accepts

Report of Committee

the report, and Harriette D. Collins is appointed to inform her that she is received a member of our society.

Anna A. Gould and Elizabeth A. Perry are appointed a committee to unite with a similar committee of men friends to bring forward names next month for Overseers of Society.

The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at Hopkinton if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Abington Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton Nov. 2nd 1852.

One preparative meeting account being presented the representatives therein named are Lois Perry, Elizabeth A. Perry whose names were called are present. An account from South Abington. The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly ^{meeting} inform that one attended - the other was prevented by ill health.

The time having expired for which the Clerks were appointed, it was proposed to reappoint the same that served last year viz. Anna A. Gould for Clerk and Dorcas G. Babcock for Assistant, which being satisfactory to the meeting they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year. As men friends omitted last month to appoint a committee to bring forward names for overseers of Society we defer the subject till another month. ^{we re-}appoint Dorcas G. Babcock

and Anna M. Collins for Overseers of the Poor. Read at this time the report of the Boarding School Committee.

The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Women Friends held at Hopkinton 22nd 1832.
One Preparative account present, the names
therein being called are Ruth Ann Collins and
Mary D. Collins who are both present. No account
from South Kingston. The joint committee
appointed to bring forward names for Overseers of
Society made the following report viz.

For South Kingston George S. Gould,
John W. Brock, Lois Perry, and Mary D. Collins.
For Hopkinton John H. Kimball, William
J. Collins, Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D.
Collins, which being satisfactory to this and
the mens meeting also, they are they are
accordingly appointed to that service for
the ensuing year. Harriette D. Collins
informed this meeting she had attended to her
appointment and informed Mary D. Collins
that she is admitted a member of our society.

Interesting Epistles from our Sisters of
London and Dublin have been read at this
time to our edification.

The business of the meeting being
through we conclude purposing to meet
next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting
of Women Friends held at Hopkinton
10th mo. 22nd 1832. Preparative accounts
being presented the representatives therein
named are Dorcas G. Babcock, Mary D. Collins
and Mary Anna Gould whose names being
called are present.

The Queries have been read with Ans-
wers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our
Preparative meetings which we are about to
our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at
Cold River by Elizabeth W. Perry Harriette
D. Collins and Anna A. Gould who are

epistles from New York, Baltimore, North Carolina, Ohio, Indiana and Wisconsin all of which were with good advice and encouragement. The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingsdon Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 28th 1852.

Preparative account being presented the members of the church named are Ruth Ann Collins and Mary S. Collins who are being called are present. ^{No account from South Kingsdon} They are informed that one of the representatives appointed to attend the General Meeting attended the other was prevented by sickness in her family.

Received and read the London General Epistle; also read Epistles from Iowa and Canada, all of which are instructive and edifying, and may we profit thereby.

This meeting unites with the request of South Kingsdon Preparative Meeting in the disunion of that meeting and the meeting for worship on account of the much scattered condition of its members, men friends also uniting.

The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingsdon Monthly Meeting of Friends held jointly at Western 12th mo. 25th 1852.

By the preparative account presented the representatives are Ruth A. Collins, Mary S. Collins, Ruth Ann Collins, and Mary S. Collins who are present except one, for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given. It has been duly considered and finally decided last to hold the Monthly meetings in joint session, for the present at least.

Business was transacted in the usual manner, and
 Messrs. Babcock, stating that our quarterly meeting
 was held, and John Babcock, William D. Collins and
 Mary D. Collins are appointed to audit the treasurer's
 account and to report to our next meeting, and the name
 of a friend for treasurer, and report to our next
 meeting. Read at this time two Epistles, one
 from Kansas Yearly Meeting and one from
 Kansas Conference to our quarterly.

The business of this meeting being through
 we conclude by hoping to meet at our next
 next month if the Lord permit.

Harriet D. Smith Clerk.

At our regular Monthly Meeting of Friends
 held in joint session at Western 1st mo 22nd 1883.

Our representatives present the rep-
 resentatives are Mary D. Collins and Gilbert L.
 Collins who are absent. The business was trans-
 acted in the usual manner which we
 regard to our next quarterly meeting to be
 held at its residence by John Babcock,
 William D. Collins, Harriet D. Collins and Mary
 D. Babcock who are our representatives.

The committee to audit the treasurer's account and
 other purposes make the following report, namely,
 Having examined the treasurer's account we find
 a balance in his hands of \$15.27 cents.

We would recommend that this meeting raise
 \$45.00 to defray the expenses the ensuing year
 and that Edward H. Collins act as treasurer.

Harriet D. Collins
 William D. Collins, Committee
 John Babcock

Which is satisfactory to this meeting and
 William D. Collins and John Babcock are
 appointed to appropriate the sum of \$45.00
 among our members, and collect and pay to
 our Treasurer of the Quarterly Meeting.

This meeting is united in granting the

the representatives are James St. Collins, George H. L. Collins, William H. Perry and Elizabeth H. Perry who are present except one, the absence of whom is regretted.

The business has been read and found satisfactory of which we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at West Springfield with all other necessary papers by James St. Collins, George H. L. Collins, William H. Perry and Elizabeth H. Perry who are our representatives.

Philanthropist for the year ending third month 1st 1883. In the year, deaths are removed 111 were removed out were admitted by request are — dismissed none. Total number of members 35 — males 21 females 14.

James St. Collins
Committee.

This meeting is united in acknowledging the gift of the Ministry of Charles James Collins.

The year ends in changing the place of holding the meeting on a fortnightly and oversight in the 1st month and 2nd month from the date to the 1st of the year. The business of the meeting being through we propose to meet at this place in 1st month of the next year.

Thomas H. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston monthly meeting of Friends held jointly at Foxcroft on 28th 1883. By the Preparative Meeting report the representatives are George H. Collins, Elizabeth H. Collins and William H. Perry who are present. The representatives to the last Quarterly Meeting report they all attended.

Received at this time the request of James St. Collins to become a member of our

...and report to our next meeting.

...the business of the meeting being concluded
we adjourned for our next meeting, and I trust we will
all be present next month if we have opportunity.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting
held jointly at Pocasset 25th 1883. By the Preparative Meeting
account the representatives therein named
are Mary W. Collins and William H. Perry,
who are present. The committee appointed
to visit Benjamin Higgins on his
quest report their visit was very satisfactory,
and he is admitted a member of our society,
and the clerk is requested to give him the
information. William H. Perry and

Benjamin Higgins are requested to
visit the family of John Higgins on account of
request to become a member of our society
and report of our next meeting.

Mary W. Collins and William H. Perry
are appointed a committee to visit or
correspond with Benjamin Higgins on account
of his request to become a member of our
meeting and report to our next meeting.

Minutes of this time are reported
if the Evening School committee report
one of which has been put.

The business of the meeting being
through we propose to meet at this place
next month if the Lord permit.
At South Kingston.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Friends held jointly at Pocasset 5th 1884.

By the Representative Meeting account the representatives are Mary D. Collins and William D. Collins who are present. The Queries have been read in this meeting with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from which we have compiled a summary describing our state and forwarded to the Synod. The next to be held at New York by the following brethren, Charles Lane Robinson, Harriette L. Collins and George S. Gould who are our representatives.

The committee appointed to visit Benjamin D. Weger report they have seen him and believe him sincere in his request; the report is accepted and he is admitted as a member of our society.

He being present there is no committee appointed to inform him.

The committee in the case of Rebecca A. Coffin to write with us report they are united in receiving her into membership with us. The report is accepted and she is received as a member of our meetings, and we appoint Ruth Anne Collins to inform her of the decision of this meeting.

Our dear friend Eliza Jane Collins a minister in unity with us opened in this meeting a prospect which has rested on his mind for some time and of late with increased weight of attending in the case of the Gospel the approaching yearly meetings of Lower Western Indiana and Kansas, to attempt and appoint some meetings within their limits, also to visit and appoint some meetings within the limits of New York Upper Western as was very open.

This meeting has both unite with her and has prospered, and she is left at liberty to prosecute her journey as best wisdom may direct.

Our dear young friend A. Blakely Collins

He is a member of our meeting and in words
expressed in this meeting a willingness
and a sense of duty to accompany his mother
Elizabeth Collins in her visit to the South
Westings of some Western Indians and the
and falls to your feet. I am writing you
present in his name. He has just been
with him in his prospect and he is full of
thirty to present as the Lord shall send.

Harriet Henderson requests a person
at certificate to the street meeting in
ing Philadelphia, and we appoint Sam-
uel of Harriette E. Collins and Ruth

Ann Collins to inquire into her claims
and if nothing is in the way to prepare a
certificate and report to our next meeting.

The report of William H. Thomas, Robert
Browning, Harriet E. Collins, and Charles
A. Gould to bring forward names of friends
for members of Society and present at our
next meeting.

The business of the
meeting being concluded we propose
to meet at Hopkinton next month if
the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting
of Friends held jointly at Hopkinton
Oct. 27th 1843. By the preparative
Monthly Meeting account the representatives
are Ruth E. Collins, John H. Knowles,
Georgiana Brown, and Peter H. Collins
who are present except Ruth for the
absence of one a sufficient reason
was given. The representatives to
our last Quarterly Meeting report
they were attended.

The committee appointed to inform
Andrew A. Coffin of the reception of a
member of this meeting report they

have given her the information.

A part of the representatives met and propose the names of William H. Perry and Anna M. Gould for Clerks which is voted with and they are appointed to that station for the ensuing year or until another appointment. The committee appointed to prepare a removal certificate for Hannah Henderson are continued and requested to report at our next meeting.

The committee appointed to bring forward names for Overseers of Society make the following report which is satisfactory viz. Lois Perry, Mary P. Babcock, John Babcock, George B. Gould, Ruth Ann Collins, Mary A. Collins, Peter H. Collins and William J. Collins, which is satisfactory and they are appointed to that office for the ensuing year or until another appointment.

For Overseers of the Poor Thomas W. Browning, Gilbert L. Collins, Anna Maria Collins, Dorcas H. Babcock.

Care of Meeting house, and burial grounds and burials and report births and deaths for record James B. Collins and Abel Tanner and Robert Browning.

For Recorders William H. Perry and Anna M. Gould.

For aid in raising funds for mission purposes James B. Collins, Robert Browning, Mary Anna Gould and Harriett B. Collins and Dorcas H. Babcock.

William J. Collins is appointed a committee to make out a statistical account of the members of this meeting and report to the monthly meeting in the 4th mo.

Received at this time a number of copies of the Minutes of our last Yearly Meeting for distribution.

Stephen E. Briggs requests to become a member
of our Society and Ruth Ann Collins and Mary
Jane Towner are appointed to visit her on that
account and report to our next meeting.

George Almon Whelan Gould requests
to be released from his right of membership
with us which is granted; and George T. Gould
is directed to give him the information.

The business of the meeting being ac-
complished we propose to meet at 10:00 place
next month if the Lord permit.

Amos A. Gould

At North Kingston Monthly Meeting
of Friends held jointly at Popponesset on
24th 1885. By the Treasurers Ruth Ann
Towner the representatives are Elizabeth
St. Rose, Mary St. John, Robert A. Collins
and William S. Collins who are all present.
The committee in the case of
Hannah Henderson presents the follow-
ing certificate viz.

To North Kingston Monthly Meeting
of Friends Philadelphia,

Dear Friends, Hannah Henderson
having removed within the limits of your
meeting requests our certificate.

This is to certify that she is a
member of North Kingston Monthly
Meeting of Friends.

Having settled her outward af-
fairs to satisfaction we commit her
to your christian care and oversight.

Harriet L. Collins
Ruth Ann Collins
Committee

Which is accepted and the blanks
are directed to sign and forward it to
the Clerk of that Meeting.

The committee in the case of Adeline

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P. Briggs report that they had a satisfying
interview with her and are united in
recommending her to be received a member
of this meeting. Anna M. Gould is
requested to inform her of the decision of
this meeting.

George H. Gould reports
that he has given George Abner Whitman Gould's
application of the granting of his request.

We have received at this time two notes
of the Epistles from London Quarterly Meeting,
one of which has been read to our comfort
and satisfaction.

The business of the meeting being
unaccomplished in much love and harmony
we separately purposing to meet at this
place next month if the Lord permit.

Anna M. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting
of Friends held jointly at Hopkinton
11th mo 22nd 1883.

By the preparative
Meeting account the representatives are
Elizabeth C. Perry, Mary L. Buffum,
William H. Perry and Peter H. Collins,
who are present.

Anna M. Gould informed this
meeting that she has informed Adeline
P. Briggs that she is received a member
with us.

The Queries have been read in
this meeting followed by answers
to the 1st 2nd and 10th which are now
read to the quarterly meeting next
to be held at Fall River by Berceus
B. Babcock, William H. Perry, Ruth
Ann Collins, Elizabeth C. Perry and
Edward H. Collins who are our rep-
resentatives.

Livonia Henderson requests a
Certificate to North Street Meeting

Report of Trustees
of the
Amy Knowles Fund

Report of the Trustees of the Army Knowledge Fund
for the year ending 10th Mo 10th 1884.

To Amount of Deposit in Wakefield Institution for Savings at last Report 1883.	138.22
" Dividends of Wakefield Natl Bank added	8.00
" Dividend of Wakefield Institution for Savings on 1 st of 10 th month 1884.	7.03
Total deposits in W. Savings Institution	153.25

To 2 Shares of Wakefield Natl Bank Stock	
Par Value	100.00
Estimated Value above par	30.00
Total estimated value	\$283.25

John Babcock for Trustee

Philadelphia. that an appointment be continued
and that one holding a committee to make the
proper inquiry prepare the same and present
to our next Monthly Meeting if nothing appears
to prevent.

I accepted the report of the
Army Committee and which is accepted.

The appointment for Beloved to see what
is necessary to be done at Buxton meeting
house garden fence, and then was in attendance
to the same and present the expenses to
this meeting.

The business of the meeting
being through we propose to wait at this
place one month of the Lord's promise.

Thomas M. Gerald Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly meeting
of friends held jointly at Hopkinton 11th
20th 1843.

Our representatives are E. L. Smith, J. H. Perry, John
T. Collins, Peter H. Collins, and William B. Perry
who are present. The representatives to

Quarterly meeting report they attended except

to the Monthly Meeting of Friends Philadelphia,
Southern District presented the following viz
which is accepted and the Clerk are directed
to sign and forward the same to the Clerk of
that meeting.

Received the following minute
from the Clerk of Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting
in relation to our meeting which is accepted
that meeting \$36. (The reader is referred to the minutes.)

The Treasurer's account and bring forward the
friend for Treasurer and the amount to be
paid to defray the expenses of this meeting and
report to our next meeting.

Read at this time the Epistles from our
Brethren of the Monthly Meetings of London, Dublin
and New York to our encouragement and instruction.

The business of the meeting being transacted
no separate proposing to meet next month
is permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

To the Monthly Meeting of Friends in
Philadelphia, Southern District.

Dear Friends

Elizabeth Henders having
removed and settled within the compass of your
meeting requests our certificate.

She being a member of our Association
society and having appearing in obscurity, we
recommend her to your christian care and regard,
and are your friends.

Signed by direction of South Kingston
monthly meeting of Friends held 11th 20th 1843

William H. Perry

Anna A. Gould } Clerks.

Peter H. Collins, Correspondent.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends
at 11th mo. 20th 1843.

At this time owing to the inclemency of the
weather, there being only three persons present and
no book or account, no business was done.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends
held 11th mo. 20th 1843. By the Association consisting of
the undersigned, viz. William H. Perry,

Elizabeth A. Perry, Mary H. Collins and
William H. Collins who are present except on

The committee appointed in 11th month
to settle the treasurers account make the
following report viz.

"To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends.
The committee to examine the treasurers account

and the following report viz. "Amount in the hands
of the Treasurer, \$50.00"

Quarterly Meeting stock, \$36.00
Due John Babcock, \$14.04
- 50.04 -

Propose that the meeting raise \$50.00 for the
coming year, and the name of James R. Collins
for Treasurer.

Mary C. Collins (Committee)

This report is available to the meeting and
we appoint John Babcock and James R. Collins
to apportion the sum of \$50.00 among our
members to collect and pay to our Treasurer;
and the business of this meeting is directed to
have one week of stock to the Treasurer of the
Quarterly Meeting, also to pay the bill of repairs
presented by John Babcock \$14.04.

The Ladies have been held in this meeting
followed by Answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th which
we forward with all the necessary extracts to
the meeting to be held at Providence by
William C. Collins, J. R. Babcock, William C.
Barnes and Mary C. Collins who are appointed
our representatives.

From at the time the meeting was held
William C. Collins from North Carolina was
admitted. The business of the meeting
being almost completed we will have a
to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit.
Anna A. Gould, clerk.

At our regular monthly meeting of the
meeting in joint session at the time of the

By the account from the preparative meeting
the representatives are William H. Perry, Elizabeth
C. Perry, Mary C. Collins and John C. Perry
we are informed that of the meeting
will be held at the time of the meeting
attended. At this time the meeting
was a time of prayer and devotion.

meetings to our satisfaction and encouragement.
The business of the meeting being completed
we conclude purposing to meet at this place
next month if the Lord permit.

1884. By the Preparative Meeting account the repre-
sentatives are Elizabeth N. Perry, James B. Collins,
and Mrs. Smith and William H. Perry who are all
present except one for the absence of whom a sat-
isfactory reason was given.

Preparative Meeting gives the
following information viz.

We propose publishing our intentions of
marriage before the next monthly meeting.

Edmund S. Southworth
Georgiana Brown.

The above subject being considered we
conclude to hold this meeting in separate
sessions, men and women friends separate on
this occasion.

Received the following communication
from our common friends namely,

With kind permission and friends
approbation we intend marriage with
each other.

Edmund S. Southworth
Georgiana Brown.

The above subject has been approved
and we appoint Elizabeth N. Perry to
inquire into the solemnity of marriage engagements
and report to our next monthly meeting.

Men and women friends meet again in joint
session. There at this time Epistles from Anna
Wanda Yearly Meetings of Women Friends which
were here satisfying to all.

The business of the meeting through no paper
it must next month at Providence if the Lord permit.

Edmund S. Southworth Clerk
for this time.

By the Preparative Meeting account the representatives are Mary S. Collins, Mary Anna Gould, Elizabeth C. Perry and William H. Perry who are present except one.

The representatives to our last L.A.M. report

The Committee appointed to attend the marriage of Edward R. Kalkbrenner ^(not a member) and Georgiana Brown report at our recent meeting to discipline.

Mary T. Henderson requests a removal certificate to Northern District 6th and Noble Street Phil.

And we appoint James R. Collins and Mary S. Collins to prepare a certificate and present to our next meeting.

The business of the meeting being concluded we separate to meet at this place next week if the Lord permit.

at South Kingston Monthly of Friends as held unitedly at Peacedale 6th mo. 23rd 1884.

By the Preparative Meeting account the representatives are Mary S. Collins, Elizabeth C. Perry and Wm. H. Perry who are present except two.

The Committee to prepare a removal certificate for Mary T. Henderson to Northern District 6th and Noble Street Phil. have presented the following which the Clerks are directed to sign and forward to that meeting.

To the Monthly Meeting of Friends of the Northern District 6th and Noble Street Phil.

Dear Friends, This is to certify that Mary T. Henderson is a member of South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends and requests our certificate. We commend her to your care and oversight and are your friends.

Signed by direction of the meeting of Friends held 6th mo 23rd 1884. at Peacedale. Wm. H. Perry.

Peter H. Collins Correspondent.

Anna Gould

22-1-1884

Eliza Jane Collins returned at this time the certificate
granted her in 7th mo. last to visit in the town of the Quaker the
some of the meetings in New York, - after returning
minutes expressing their satisfaction with her visit
and Gospel labors, viz.

"Our beloved friend Eliza Jane Collins acceptably
attended this meeting, and was highly commended
her for Gospel labor within the limits of this meeting."

We receive her and her religious service as a renewed
evidence of Divine Love. Signed by direction and
on behalf of Iowa Yearly Meeting of Friends held
at Cambridge from the 5th to the 17th mo. 1853.

B. Finchman
Jane B. Blair Clerk

Also a similar one from Western Yearly Meeting
of Friends held at Mainfield Hendrick Co. Indiana
from 14th to 20th of 9th mo. inclusive 1853.

Amos Swan
Rebecca Hobbs

Also one from Indiana Yearly Meeting
Friends held in Richmond 7th mo. 25th to 10th mo.
2nd 1853, inclusive.

Charles T. Corbin
Naomi H. Harrison

Also a minute from Kansas Yearly Meeting of
Friends held in Lawrence 10th mo. 12th to 18th inclusive
1853.

Brusila Wilson Clerk.

Also a minute from New York Yearly Meeting
of Friends held at New York by adjournments
from 5th mo. 30th to 6th mo. 4th inclusive 1854.

Eliza Jane Collins attended this meeting with
a certificate from the Western Yearly Meeting of
Friends in N.Y. Her company was acceptable to us.

Signed on behalf of the meeting.

Augustus Tabor & W.

At. Chalkley Collins returned at this time
the certificate, granted him in 7th mo. last as
companion to his Mother Eliza Jane Collins

to visit the Yearly Meetings of Iowa, Indiana, Kansas, and some of the meetings expressing their unity and satisfaction with his companionship.

"To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends R. I."

Our Dear Friend J. H. Collins in company with Eliza Jane Collins has acceptably attended this meeting. Signed by direction and on behalf of Kansas Yearly Meeting of Friends held by adjournments from the 12th of 10th mo. to the 18th of the same inclusive at Lawrence Kansas. 10th mo. 18th 1883. William Nicholson, Clerk. Eliza Jane Collins, Clerk."

And similar Minutes were received from Iowa, Indiana, and Western ^{and N. Y.} Yearly Meetings of Friends held and dated as above in Eliza Jane Collins' returning minutes. The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

All regular attendance Monthly Meetings at South Kingston, R. I. according to the Preparative Meeting account, the representatives are Harriette L. Collins, Elizabeth A. Perry, Peter H. Collins, and Wm. H. Perry who are present except one.

The Queries have been read in this

meeting and the answers to the same have been read. The queries were still which were answered in the next Quarterly Meeting. The answers to the queries were read by Charles H. Collins. The queries were read by the same person who were representatives.

Received a copy of the Boarding House Report which has been satisfactorily read.

Our Dear Friend Eliza Jane Collins a Minister in unity with us in this meeting.

a concern which has rested on her mind
weight of attending in the love of the gospel
the approaching Yearly Meeting of Ohio.

expressed in this meeting and she is left
at liberty and encouraged to attend to such
service as the Lord may direct.

Our Dear Friend Rebecca A. Coxin laid before
this meeting a desire that has rested on her mind
of attending the approaching Yearly Meeting
of Ohio as companion to our Friend Electa
Jane Collins. She is a member of this meet-
ing in good standing. She has our sympathy
and is encouraged in her prospect.

Dusanct. Swan having removed from
the limits of this meeting requests a certificate
to be given him.

We appoint Harriette L. Collins and Thomas
G. Babcock to prepare a certificate and present

We appointed a committee to bring forward names
for Overseers of Society and present to our
next monthly meeting. The business of the
meeting being accomplished we propose to
meet next month at Hopkinton in the Lord's permit.
Anna C. Gould, Secy

At South Weymouth Monthly Meeting
of Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton 9th mo.
25th 1854. By the account of the separa-
tive Meeting the representatives Mary S. Collins
Gilbert L. Collins, James R. Collins and Fannie
C. Collins were present.

On behalf of our representatives James
R. Collins reported they were united in propo-
sing the names of William H. Perry and

and having been found satisfactory to the meeting they are accordingly appointed.

The Committee appointed last month to bring forward names for Overseers & Society have produced the following viz. Lois Perry, Mary W. Babcock, John Babcock, George W. Gould, Ruth Ann Collins, Mary W. Collins, Peter W. Collins, and William W. Collins, whose names being united with they are appointed to that service for the year ensuing or until another appointment.

For Overseers of the Poor we appoint Lorenzo G. Babcock, Thomas W. Brown, Emma W. Collins and George W. Collins, to that office for the ensuing year or until another appointment. The representatives

of them attended; for the absence of one a sufficient reason was rendered.*

a removal certificate for Susan A. Sawyer to Hinthrop Monthly Meeting of Friends have produced the following which is satisfactory to the meeting and the books are directed to sign and forward the same to that Monthly Meeting.

To Hinthrop Monthly Meeting of Friends. Dear Friends, Our friend

having removed to reside within your limits, requests our certificate.

We commend her to your Christian care. And are your friends,

William W. Brown, George W. Collins, Peter W. Collins, and Emma W. Collins.

To have the care of visiting Friends, British Friends, Society and to what extent it

Book of Debts for record, James H. Collins, and James
Robert Brown and Anna A. Gould.

For Recorders Wm. H. Perry and Anna A. Gould.

To make out a statistical report of our members
and present to our Monthly meeting in 4th month
1885 William H. Collins.

At the request of the Quarterly Meeting we
appointed James H. Collins, John A. Brown and
Anna A. Gould, Harriet D. Collins and Dorcas H.
Gould a committee to visit in various places
for the Syrian Mission.

We have received our quota of Yearly meeting
printed "Minutes and Committee's Letters" also
also some copies of the changes in the Discipline.
The business of the meeting being ac-
complished and adjourned proposing to meet
at this place next month if the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting
of Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton
19th mo. 22nd 1884.

By the Preparative
Meeting account the representatives are
John B. Perry, William H. Perry, Harriet D.
Collins and Jennie Maine who are all
present. The business of the meeting
being through we conclude proposing
to meet next month at this place if the
Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends
held unitedly at Hopkinton 10th mo. 27th 1884.

By the Preparative meeting account the represen-
tatives are Hattie E. Collins, Lois A. Perry, William
H. Perry and Peter H. Collins, who are all present
except one for whose absence a satisfactory
reason was given.

The Queries have been read with answers
to the 1st. 2nd and 10th in this meeting which we

forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Fall River by John Babcock, ^{Babcock,} Mary P. [^] William H. Perry and Elizabeth M. Perry who are our representatives.

We have received our quota of the London General Epistle, one of which has been read to our comfort and satisfaction. —

Electa Jane Collins returned at this time a certificate granted her in seventh month last to attend in gospel love Ohio Yearly Meeting; also returning minutes of cordial reception from them expressive of much unity with her labors of love.

Rebecca A. Coffin returned at this time the minute granted her in seventh month last as companion to our friend Electa Jane Collins to attend Ohio Yearly Meeting; with a minute of cordial reception from that meeting.

"Our beloved Friend Electa Jane Collins has acceptably attended this meeting with satisfactory credentials from her home meeting. Her company and Gospel services have been very acceptable.

By direction of Ohio Yearly Meeting of Friends held at Damascus. 8th mo 28th to 19th mo 4th 1884 inclusive.

Wm. J. Harrison, Clerk.
Elizabeth L. Hill, Clerk."

"Our beloved Friend Rebecca A. Coffin has acceptably attended this meeting as companion for our friend Electa Jane Collins, her company has been very acceptable.

By direction of Ohio Yearly Meeting of Friends held at Damascus 8th mo 28th to 19th mo 4th 1884 inclusive.

Wm. J. Harrison Clerk,
Elizabeth L. Hill Clerk."

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Received the following communication from
Windsor Monthly Meeting namely,

"To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends. — Dear Friends; A certificate from

* This should have been re-
-corded on the left hand page.

Your Dear Friend Eliza
Jane Allen a minister in
ministry with us opened in
this meeting a desire which
has rested on her mind
for some time of attending
Baltimore yearly meeting
of friends
Full unity with her
prospect has been expressed
in this meeting and she
is left at liberty and encou-
raged to attend to such
service as the Lord may
direct.

Taken from the minutes of
South Kingston Monthly
meeting of friends held at

Hopkinton 27th of 10th mo 1887

William H. Perry
Anna A. Gould. } (Lutes)

John H. Collins

Correspondent

you in favor of the same has been received and
accepted! By direction of Wintthrop Monthly Meet-
ing of Friends held 11th 12th 13th 14th 15th 16th 17th 18th 19th 20th 21st 22nd 23rd 24th 25th 26th 27th 28th 29th 30th 31st 1884.

J. Warren Hawkes, Clerk.
Sarah J. Hawkes, Clerk.

Received the following report from the Trustees of
the Amy Knowles fund which is satisfactory in

"Report of the Trustees of the Amy Knowles
fund for the year ending 10th mo 10th 1884.

Balance at last Report 1883. 138.22

" Dividends of Wakefield Natl Bank added 8.00

" Dividend of Wakefield Institution for
savings on 1st of 10th month 1884. 7.03

" Total deficit in Wakefield Natl Bank 6.11 1/2 \$142.91

To 2 Shares of Wakefield National Bank stock
Par Value 100.00

Estimated value above par 23.05

Total estimated value \$283.25

John Babcock for Trustees."

in much love we separate for this
at this place next month in the Lord for our
annual year, 1884.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton 11th mo
24th 1884. By the Preparative Meeting
account the representatives are Peter
Collins and Lois A. Perry who are present.

Two of the representatives to our last Quar-
terly Meeting report they did not attend and
gave sufficient reasons for their absence.

No information from the other two, which
is referred to next month. Received at this
time the following communication from
our Quarterly Meeting held at Fall River
11th month 6th 1884.

"It was concluded to raise \$900 for the use
of that meeting the coming year, and the
several Monthly Meetings were requested
to forward their proportion of that sum
to James Dennis the Treasurer."

Taken from the minutes of the
Quarterly Meeting held at Fall River
11th month 1884.

Samuel R. Buffington Clerk

The quota of South Kingston Monthly
Meeting is \$200. It has been agreed upon by
William A. Collins and Alice D. Collins as
a committee to examine the Treasurers
account, bring forward the name of a
friend for Treasurer and propose a
sum to be raised for the use of the meet-
ing this year and direct to adjourn meeting.

Electa Jones was present at this
time the Minute granted her in the 10th
month to attend Baltimore Yearly
Meeting or Friends; also a satisfactory
returning Minute from that meeting,
namely: "At Baltimore Yearly
Meeting of Friends held by adjourn-
ments from the 7th to the 12th of 11th mo.
1884. Our beloved friend Electa
Jones was a very valuable attendance at this
meeting. Signed by direction
and on behalf of the meeting.

Francis S. King, Clerk.
Mary W. Thomas, Clerk."

of minutes of annual year-end meeting
at Baltimore, 1884. The minutes being
imperfect the following was added to
the meeting namely.

"To the Monthly Meeting of Friends of
the Northern District 6th mo. 1884 at
Fall River. Our friend Mary A. Kingdon
a member of South Kingston Monthly

feeling of friends having removed to reside within
limits requests our certificate. Her outward
affairs appear satisfactorily settled. We commend
her to your christian care and are your friends.

Signed by direction of South Hampton
Monthly Meeting of Friends held at West
24th of 11th Mo. 1854

William Convery

Anna C. Gould, Secy.

Peter W. Collins correspondent.

The meeting of the next month
accounted we conclude proposing to
meet next month at Western if permitted.

At South Hampton

At South Hampton 24th of 11th Mo. 1854

Our Friends held unitedly at Western 11th Mo.
22nd 1854. By the Preparative Meeting account
the representatives are Elizabeth A. Perry, Mary C.
Collins, Gilbert L. Collins and William W. Perry
who are present except one. The committee
appointed last month to examine the Treasurer's
account and other business made the follow-
ing report which is acceptable to this meet-
ing viz. — Balance due the Treasurer
about 9 dollars, and propose the sum of
55 dollars to be raised for the payment
of the Quarterly Meeting stock and the use
of this Meeting the coming year, and the name
of Edward W. Collins for Treasurer.

The appoint John Babcock and William
G. Collins to apportion the sum of 55
dollars among our members, and collect
and pay to our Treasurer; and our Treas-
urer is directed to pay our proportion
\$36.00 to the Treasurer of the Quarterly
Meeting. The two representatives
to our last Quarterly Meeting that did not
report last month have reported to this
Meeting they did attend.

This meeting is united in asking the Quarterly Meeting to grant us the privilege of holding the four monthly meetings that are now held at Western in the 1st, 2nd and 3rd months at Hopkinton, owing to the very poor condition of the house.

The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate purposing to meet next month at this place if the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Western 1st mo. 26th 1885. By the preparative meeting account the representatives are James R. Collins, and William H. Perry who are present.

The Queries have been read in this meeting succeeded by Answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our preparative meeting which we forward to our next Quarterly meeting to be held at Providence by Dorcas G. Babcock and Elizabeth A. Perry, Robert Browning and William H. Perry who are appointed our representatives.

The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate proposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit

Dorcas G. Babcock Clerk
for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held Unitedly at Western 2nd month 23rd 1885. By the preparative meeting account the representatives are James R. Collins, Harriette L. Collins, Francis W. Collins and Alice W. Collins

who are present except two.

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting report that two of them attended, and one rendered a satisfactory reason for nonattendance.

The request from this meeting in the 12th mo. to the Quarterly Meeting held in Providence was granted, — by the report of our representatives.

The business of the meeting being accomplished in much unity we separate, proposing to meet at Hopkinton next month if permitted.

Wm. H. Perry Clerk.

(The women's clerk absent.)

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton 3rd mo 23rd 1885. By the preparative meeting account the representatives are William J. Collins, Francis W. Collins, and Lois A. Perry who are present.

The Women's clerk not being present we appoint Mary A. Rathbun clerk for the day. The company and services of our dear friend Obadiah Phase of Swansey Monthly Meeting of Friends has been very comforting to us.

A certificate of unity was granted to our friend Electa Jane Collins to attend Philadelphia Yearly Meeting viz. — Our dear friend Electa Jane Collins a Minister in unity with us expressed a desire to attend the several sittings of the approaching Philadelphia Yearly Meeting of Friends. Full unity with her prospect was expressed in the meeting and she is left at liberty and encouraged to attend to such service as the Lord may direct.

The business of the meeting being accom-

-plished, we separate proposing to meet
at Peacedale next month if the Lord permit.
Mary A. Rathbun Clerk for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Friends held unitedly at Peacedale 4th mo. 27th 1885.

By the Preparative Meeting account the rep-
-resentatives are Elizabeth M. Perry, Peter H. Collins,
William D. Collins and Mary D. Collins who
are present except two.

The Queries
have been read in this meeting with
their respective answers which we
forward with the necessary extracts to
our next Quarterly Meeting to be held
at East Greenwich by Dorcas G. Babcock,
George S. Gould, Mary D. Collins, Robert
Lawson and William H. Perry who are
our representatives, and they are requested
to meet at the meetinghouse at 7 o'clock 5th day
morning. — Statistics for South Kingston
Monthly Meeting ending 3rd mo. 1st 1885.

Births none: — Deaths one: —

Removals into none: — Out of two: —

Admitted none: — Released none: —

Disowned none: — Total 81: —

Males 37: — Females 44: — Decreased
since last year three.

William D. Collins Committee
Received the following communication
from Samuel R. Buffington Clerk
of Rhode Island Monthly Meeting of
Friends viz. "To South Kingston Month-
ly Meeting of Friends.

Dear Friends, — Your request to ~~the~~
to the Quarterly Meeting in 2nd month
asking the privilege of holding said
Meeting at Hopkinton in the 12th 1st 2nd
and 3rd months instead of at Wiston as
at present held, was considered by said
meeting and permission granted you to

make the desired change: The same is submitted to the meeting uniting therewith.

By direction of the meeting, aforesaid,

Samuel R. Buffington Clerk.

The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate proposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permits.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitably at Peace Dale 1st Nov^r 1885.

By the preparative meeting account the representatives are Mary Anna Gould Peter H. Collins, and William H. Perry who are present except one, for whom a satisfactory reason was given for nonattendance.

The representatives to the West Quarterly Meeting report they all attended.

The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate proposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permits.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitably at Peace Dale 2nd 1885. By the minute from the Preparative Meeting the representatives are Mary S. Collins — Peter H. Collins — and Gilbert L. Collins who are present except one.

Received the following communication from the Overseers of Hopkinton Preparative Meeting viz.

"To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends,
The Overseers of Hopkinton Preparative Meeting are united in bringing a complaint against one of its members, Joseph Henderson for assaulting one of his neighbors in the highway. Peter H. Collins, Ruth Ann Collins, Mary S. Collins, William B. Collins. Overseers."

This Meeting is united in denying him
his right of membership without, and
the Clerks are directed to give him written
information thereof.

The business of the meeting being
through we separate purposing to meet
at this place next month is permitted.
Wm. A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting
of Friends held unitedly at Pinedale 7th mo.
27th 1858. By the Preparative Meeting ac-
cording the representatives are Harriette
L. Collins, Peter H. Collins and William
H. Perry who are present except one.

The Queries have been read in this
meeting succeeded by Answers to the 1st 2nd
and 10th which we forward to the next Quar-
terly Meeting to be held at Newport by Harri-
ette L. Collins, Eunice M. Estley, James R.
Collins and William H. Perry who are our
representatives. The Committee appoin-
ted to inform Joseph Henderson of the decision
of this meeting in his case report they
have given him the information in writ-
ting.

Eliza Jane Collins a Minister
in unity with us requests our certificate
to attend the sittings of North Carolina
Yearly Meeting of Friends.

W. H. Collins her son ex-
pressed a willingness to accompany his
Mother Eliza Jane Collins in her propos-
ed visit to North Carolina Yearly Meeting.

The meeting adopted the following Minutes
and the Clerks are directed to sign the
same viz.

"Our Dear Friend Eliza Jane Collins a Min-
ister in unity with us informed this mee-
ting of a desire which had rested on her
mind for some time of attending the

of Friends

Yearly Meeting of North Carolina

Full unity with her prospect was expressed
in this meeting and she left at liberty and
encouraged to attend to such work as the
Lord may direct. Taken from the Min-
utes of South Kingston Monthly Meeting
of Friends held unitedly at Peacedale N.H.
7th mo 27th 1885. William H. Perry }
Anna A. Gould }

Peter H. Collins Correspondent.

Our Dear Friend A. Chabrey Collins
who is a member in good esteem with us
expressed a willingness to accompany his
mother Electa Jane Collins as companion
in her proposed visit to North Carolina
Yearly Meeting of Friends. Full unity
with him and his prospect has been ex-
pressed, and he is left at liberty and encour-
aged to faithful service. Taken from the Min-
utes of South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Friends held unitedly at Peacedale N.H.
7th mo 27th 1885. William H. Perry }
Anna A. Gould }

Peter H. Collins Correspondent.

Received the following communication from
the Yearly Meeting which has been read and
directed to be spread upon our records viz.

"At the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New
England held at Portland Maine in the 6th mo.
1885. the following Minute was directed to
our subordinate Meetings. The Meeting
was brought under an earnest concern that
the spirituality of the Gospel and its ad-
vocacy by Ministers and others shall be
maintained inviolate. We desire to
protect our membership from all
influences which are not in accordance
with the clear testimony of our religious
society and the teaching of the New
Testament. We believe in the spiritual
nature of Christ's Kingdom and that all

outward ceremonies have been fulfilled
and ended in Christ. This meeting records
its judgment for the guidance of its subordinate
meetings that those holding or teaching a
contrary doctrine cannot be received as
acceptable ministers of the Society Friends
within our limits. Extracted from the
minutes of the Meeting

William O. Newhall }
Anna S. Wood } Clerks.

We have received and read a copy of the
Boarding School report. We appoint
James B. Collins and George S. Babcock
a committee to bring forward the names
of suitable persons to act as Overseers of
Society and present to our next Meeting.
Received our quarto of the Yearly Meeting
Minutes. The business of the Meeting
being accomplished we separate pro-
posing to meet at Hopkinton next
month if the Lord permit.
Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly
Meeting of Friends held unitedly
24th of 8th mo. 1855. The representatives
from the Preparative Meeting are
A. Chalkley Collins, Edna Jane Collins,
Alice F. Collins, and Peter H. Collins
who are all present. A. Chalkley
Collins on behalf of the representa-
tives propose the names of William
H. Ledy and Anna A. Gould for Clerks
of this meeting, whose names being
united with they are appointed to
that service for the ensuing year.
The committee appointed last
month to bring forward names for
members of Society propose the
following viz. Lois Perry, Mary

W. Babcock, Mrs. Babcock, George W. Gould,
Mary S. Collins, Ruth Ann Collins, Wm.
H. Collins and William S. Collins which
are united with and they are appointed
for the ensuing year. For Overseers
of the Poor Thomas H. Downing and
Gilbert L. Collins, Anna Maria Collins
and Dorcas E. Babcock. Care of Meeting
houses, Burial Grounds, Burials, and
to report names of births and deaths for
record James R. Collins Abel Lanker
Robert Browning and Anna A. Gould.
Recorders William H. Perry and Anna
A. Gould. To make out a statistical
report of our membership and present
to the Monthly Meeting in 5th mo 1888
William S. Collins. At the request
of the Quarterly Meeting we appoint
Mary W. Gould to aid in raising funds
for Mission purposes.

Electa Jane Collins returned at
this time the Minute granted her in
5th mo. last to attend North Carolina
Yearly Meeting with proper acknowl-
-edgment viz.

"Our beloved friend Electa Jane Collins a
Minister of the Gospel of South Kingston
Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Peacedale
N.H. acceptably attended this meeting.

Taken from the Minutes of North Carolina
Yearly Meeting held at High Point
4th 5th month 11th 1885.

Josiah Nicholson } Clerks.
Abigail W. Mendenhall }

Our beloved friend Electa Jane Collins ex-
pressed much satisfaction in her visit and
also the loving way of her reception all of
which is very satisfactory to this meeting.

"Our beloved friend A. Chalkley Collins a
member of South Kingston Monthly Meeting
Friends N.H. acceptably attended this meeting.

Taken from the Minutes of North American
- a Society Meeting of Friends held at
High Point N. C. 5th mo 11th 1855

Josiah L. Nicholson
 Abigail H. Hancock

Electa Jane Collins Collins a Minister in
unity with us requests our certificate to
attend the several meetings of New York
Yearly Meeting as companion to Ann Gause
in her proposed visit.

"Electa Jane Collins a Minister in
unity with us expressed in this meeting
a desire to accompany Ann Gause a
Minister of Indiana Yearly Meeting in
in her proposed visit to the Meetings con-
stituting N. Y. Yearly Meetings, and joining
in such other service as the Lord may
direct. The prospect is united with, and
she is left at liberty and encouraged to
proceed under the direction of Living Wisdom.

The representatives to our last
Quarterly Meeting report they all attended
save my the 1st & not being present Har-
rill. Dr. Collins was absented for
the day. Mary A. W. Rathbun.

The day. Mary A. W. Rathbun requests for her four minor children to become members of the religious society of friends and we appoint Harriette D. Collins and William D. Collins to make the necessary inquiry and report to a future meeting. viz: Their names Walter H. Rathbun, Alice M. Rathbun, Martha L. Rathbun and Leonard R. M. Rathbun. Harriette D. Collins made

Harriette D. Collins made a verbal statement at this time that the Minute granted her in the 7th mo. 1881 to visit Falmouth, London and Bristol.

through Secretary's Meetings and Social Meetings as may opened had been lost. The visits were all accomplished to the satisfaction of her mind. She did not present the Minutes at any meeting being a member of the Gospel Committee.

The business of the Meeting being accomplished we separate proposing to meet at this place next month if permitted.
Harriette D. Collins Clerk
for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton 9th month 21st 1855. By the Preparative Meeting account the representatives are Peter R. Collins, Silbert E. Collins, and Elizabeth C. Perry who are all present.

The Committee in Mary A. M. Rathbun's case made the following report viz.

"To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends. We the Committee appointed to visit Mary A. M. Rathbun on account of her request for her four minor children have attended to said appointment.

We find in our judgment no reason why they should not be received as members. Harriette D. Collins Mary D. Collins Secy.

Which is satisfactory to the meeting and they are received as members of South Kingston Monthly Meeting and we appoint James R. Collins to give them the necessary information.

Received at this time our quart of London Yearly Meeting Epistles one of which has been read to our satisfaction and encouragement.

The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate in much love proposing to meet next month at this place if the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting
of Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton 26th of
10th month 1885. By the Preparative Meeting Min-
ute the representatives are Gilbert L. Collins,
Peter H. Collins and Elizabeth N. Perry who
are present. The Queries have been read in
this Meeting with Answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th
which we forward to the next Quarterly
Meeting to be held at Fall River, with
other necessary extracts by William H.
Perry, James R. Collins and Adelia P. Briggs.
who are our representatives.

"This Meeting is united in proposing the
names of Mary S. Collins and Elizabeth N.
Perry to the Station of Elder. Taken from
the Minutes of South Kingston Preparative
meeting on Ministry and Oversight held 10th mo.
24th 1885. Harriette D. Collins Clerk."

This Meeting unites with the Meeting
of Ministry and Oversight in the appointment
of Mary S. Collins and Elizabeth N. Perry to the
Station of Elder.

The Trustees of the Amy Knowles Fund
made the following report namely,
Amount in Savings Bank at Wakefield
10th month 1884 \$153, 25
National Bank added in 1885, 8, 00
7, 80
Total amount of deposit in 10th mo 1885. \$169, 05
John Babcock Trustee.

The committee appointed to inform the
children of Mary & W. Rathbun of their re-
ception as members with us reports that he
has given them the necessary information.

To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Friends. Dear Friends, I desire membership
with your Society, making this request on
profession of faith in the Lord Jesus Christ
and a desire for your help in my Christian
life and fellowship with you as brothers and
sisters in Christ. Sarah E. Rathbun.

We appoint Ruth Ann Collins and Mary Anna Gould to make the necessary inquiry and report to some future meeting. Read at this time the Epistles from our Sisters of London and Dublin to our satisfaction.

The business of the meeting being through we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton 11th mo. 23rd 1885. By the Preparative meeting account the representatives are Rebecca A. Coffin, Mary S. Collins, ^{and Min. W. C. Perry} who are present except one.

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting report they all attended.

The Committee appointed to visit Sarah Elizabeth Rathbun upon her request make the following report namely,

"To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends. We as a committee in the case of Sarah Elizabeth Rathbun have had a satisfactory interview with her and would recommend her as a suitable person for membership of our religious society.

Ruth Ann Collins
Committee. Mary A. Gould.

The report is satisfactory to the meeting and accepted and she is admitted as a member with us.

We appoint Mary A. Gould to give her the information.

Electa Jane Collins returned at this time the Minute granted her in 8th month last to attend the meeting of New York Yearly Meeting as companion to our friend Ann Gause of

Report of Committee

Indiana Yearly Meeting expressing her satisfaction. Read at this time the Epistles from New York and Baltimore Yearly Meetings which have been gratifying and cheering to us. The business of the Meeting being accomplished we separate proposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit.
Anna A. Gould Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly 12th mo 28th 1886. By the Preparative meeting account the representatives are Elizabeth N. Perry, James R. Collins and Harriette D. Collins who are all present.

Mary Anna Gould appointed last month to inform Sarah E. Rathbun of her reception as a member of our Society, reports that she has done so.

Received the following communication from the clerk of Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting namely. "To South Kingston

Monthly Meeting of Friends—

Dear Friends, At Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Fall River 11th month 5th 1885 it was concluded to raise nine hundred dollars for the use of the meeting the ensuing year, and the several monthly meetings are requested to forward their respective proportions of that amount to James Dennis our Treasurer. From the Minutes of the aforesaid meeting.

Samuel R. Buffington Clerk."

South Kingston Monthly Meetings quarto \$36.00 and we appoint James R. Collins and Mary S. Collins to examine the Treasurers account, and propose the amount to be raised for the use of the meeting this year and the name of a friend for Treasurer. The woman clerk not being present Harriette L. Collins is appointed clerk for the day. The Epistles from our sisters of North Carolina and Ohio have been read at this time to our comfort.

The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate proposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit.
Harriette L. Collins Clerk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton 1st mo 25th 1886. By the Preparative Meeting account the representatives are Mary S. Collins and James R. Collins who are present.

The Queries have been read with Answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our Preparative Meeting which we forward to the Quarterly Meeting next to be held at Providence by John Babcock James R. Collins Mary Anna Gould and Elizabeth N. Perry who are appointed our representatives.

The Womens Clerk not being present we appoint Elizabeth N. Perry Clerk for the day. Received at this time the following report namely.

“So South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends. The Committee appointed to examine the Treasurers account and propose a sum to be raised for the expenses of the meeting and the name of a friend for Treasurer submit the following viz.

Balance in hand of the Treasurer \$3.12 ct.
Amount to be raised \$50.00. The name
of Edward W. Collins for Treasurer.

Mary E. Collins

James R. Collins, Committee.

The report is acceptable to the meeting
and we appoint John Babcock and William
E. Collins to apportion the sum of \$50.00
among our members, and collect the same
and pay to our Treasurer, and he is di-
rected to pay our proportion of Quarterly
Quarterly Stock \$36.00 to the Treasurer
of that meeting.

This Meeting is united in asking
the consent of the Quarterly Meeting to
dispose of the buildings at Westboro.

Read at this time the Epistles
from our sisters of Indiana and Wes-
tern Yearly Meetings much to our com-
fort and encouragement.

The business of the meeting being
accomplished we separate in much
harmony, proposing to meet at this
place next month if the Lord permit.

Elizabeth N. Perry Clerk for the
day.

At about Kingston Monthly Meeting
of Friends held unitedly at Hopkin-
ton 2nd mo 22nd 1886.

By the account of the preparative
Meeting the representatives are Mary
E. Collins and Gilbert L. Collins
who are present.

The representatives to our last
Quarterly Meeting report they all
attended except one.

The Woman Clerk not being present
we appoint **Elizabeth N. Perry**
Clerk for the day. Read at this time
the Epistles from Iowa and Canada.

Yearly Meetings of Women Friends. The business of the meeting being accomplished we separately purposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit.

Elizabeth H. Perry Clerk for the day.

At South

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton 3rd mo 22nd 1886. By the Minutes of the preparative meeting the representatives are Gilbert L. Collins and William H. Perry who are present. The Woman Clerk not being present we appoint Harriette D. Collins Clerk for the day.

Electa Jane Collins a Minister in unity with us requests a certificate to attend the approaching Yearly Meetings of Philadelphia and New York with which this meeting unites and the Clerks are directed to sign the following minute viz.

"Our beloved friend Electa Jane Collins a minister in unity with us laid before this meeting a prospect which has for some time rested on her mind of attending the approaching Yearly Meetings of Philadelphia and New York. Full unity with her prospect has been expressed in this meeting and she is left at liberty and encouraged to proceed in that service under Divine direction. Taken from the Minutes of South Kingston Monthly of Friends held at Hopkinton Rhode Island 3rd month 22nd 1886.

William H. Perry Clerk.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

Peter H. Collins Correspondent.

Read at this time an Epistle from Brumana Monthly Meeting, much to our comfort and satisfaction.

The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate purposing to meet at Peacedale next month if the Lord permit

Harriette D. Collins Clerk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Peacedale 4th & 6th 1886. By the Preparative meeting account the representatives are William D. Collins and Elizabeth M. Perry who are present.

The Queries have been read in this meeting with appropriate answers which we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Fall River by Anna A. Gould and Darcas G. Babcock, Thomas W. Browning and William H. Perry who are our representatives.

Statistics of South Kingston Monthly Meeting for the year 1886.

Births — none. Deaths — one.
Removals into — none. Out of — none.
Admitted by request — five. Discourged one. — Total 55. — Increase three. —
Males 38. — Females 47.

Lois Perry a member and Elder of this Monthly Meeting died 9th month 3rd 1885 aged 87 years 2 months and 20 days.

Read at this time the Epistle from Kansas Yearly Meeting much to our comfort and edification. Received a document for distribution among our members and others, issued by the Representative Meeting of New England Yearly Meeting upon the subject of Slaves.

The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate purposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Beaduate 2nd mo 21st 1886.

By the Preparative meeting Minutes the representatives are Mary S. Collins and William H. Perry who are present.

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting report they all attended except one, for whose absence a sufficient reason was given.

Eliza Jane Collins returned at this time the Minute granted her in 3rd month 1885 stating she did not use it owing to sickness.

The following notice was read in this meeting namely, — "Be South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends. Dear Friends, This will inform you that with Divine permission and your approbation we intend marriage with each other. Thomas A. Tripp.
Lois B. Babcock.

Wakefield 5th mo. 24th 1886."

And we appoint Anna A. Gould and George B. Babcock a committee to inquire into her clearness as to marriage engagement and report to our next meeting.

The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate proposing to meet next month at this place if the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Beaduate 8th mo. 21st 1886. By the Preparative meeting Minutes Elizabeth A. Perry and William H. Perry who are both present.

The committee appointed last month to inquire into the clearness of Lois B. Babcock as to other engagement report as follows viz. "We find nothing to prevent her proceeding in marriage with Thomas A. Tripp who having con-

consent of parents to said marriage.

Leicester G. Babcock, Committee
June 24th 1886. Anna A. Gould.

Which is satisfactory to the meeting.
The said Thomas A. Tripp having produced
satisfactory minutes from New Bedford
Monthly Meeting. The consent of Parents
viz.

This may inform you that it is
with our consent that our son Thomas
A. Tripp proposes the accomplishment
of marriage with Lois E. Babcock at your
meeting.

Arnold C. Tripp

Fusan S. Tripp?

"To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of First

Dear Friends, Thomas A. Tripp having
applied for a certificate on account of
marriage with Lois E. Babcock a member
of your meeting we have made the usual
inquiry and find that nothing exists
to prevent our forwarding this certificate
on his behalf, he being a member
of our Society well esteemed by
us.

Signed on behalf and by direction
of New Bedford Monthly Meeting
held by adjournments from 5th month
24th to 6th month 3rd 1886.

Edward B. Tucker

Mary C. Butler Clerk.

George Howland Jr. Correspondent?"

All of which is satisfactory to the
meeting and they are left at liberty to
proceed according to discipline, and we
appoint a meeting for that purpose
at the house of John Babcock June
24th 1886 at one o'clock in the afternoon.

Leicester G. Babcock, James R. Collins,
Oliver M. Perry and William B. Perry
are appointed as a committee to attend
the marriage and see that the certificate
and other arrangements are accom-
plished according to discipline and report
to this meeting.

Thomas A. Tripp,
Leicester.

At the June Session referred to at this time
the minute granted her in 3rd month last to attend
the 1st of June and New York Yearly Meeting
with proper action of Agents from New York
Yearly Meeting which is satisfactory to this
Meeting. Joseph Knobel a Minister from
Smyrna Monthly Meeting New York is in
attendance of this meeting, and presented
a Certificate liberating him for business
work in this Yearly Meeting having
the endorsement of Buller's Quarterly
Meeting. His company and labors of love
have been truly acceptable to us, and the
Clerk is directed to give him a copy of
this Minute.

The business of the Meeting being
accomplished we separately purposing to
meet at this place next month if the
Lord permit.

Amos Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting held
privately at Bacedah 7th month 26th 1841.

By the minute of the Preparative Meet-
ing the representatives are William B.
Collins Elizabeth M. Perry - present except
one.

The Queries have been read
in this meeting with Answers to the
1st 2nd and 10th from our Representative
Meeting which we forwarded to the next
Quarterly Meeting to be held at Newport
by Mary W. Babcock, William H. Derby and
Elizabeth M. Perry whom we appoint our
representatives.

Received 3 copies of the Boarding School
Report, one of which has been read.

Gilbert L. Collins and Lois S. Perry are
appointed a Committee to bring forward
names for Officers of Society at our next
Monthly Meeting. The Committee

appointed to attend the Marriage of his
Aunt Babcock and Thomas A. Tripf report
that they attended to their appointment
and that it was conducted according to
Discipline and in good order which is
acceptable to the Meeting.

The business of the meeting
being accomplished we separate prepar-
ing to meet next month at Hopkinton
if the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At Hopkinton^{Ms} Monthly
Meeting of Friends held quarterly at
Hopkinton 8th month 23rd 1846.

By the Preparative Meeting account
the representatives are Peter H. Collins
and Elizabeth A. Barry who are both
present. The representatives are
limited in proposing the names of
William H. Barry and Anna A. Gould
to serve the meeting as clerks, which
being considered and approved by the
meeting they are appointed to that
service for the ensuing year.

The Committee appointed last
month to bring forward names for
Overseers of Society have produced
the following viz. George S. Gould,
Anna A. Gould, John Babcock, Mary
H. Babcock, Mary S. Collins and William
H. Collins which being united with
they are appointed to that service for one
year. For Overseers of the poor
Thomas H. Brown and Gilbert L.
Collins, Anna A. Maria Collins and
Lucius H. Babcock, these names
being united with they are appointed
for the ensuing year.

For the care of meeting houses

Burying grounds and burials, and report names of births and deaths for record James R. Collins, Abel Tanner, Robert Browning and Anna H. Gould which being united with they are appointed for the year ensuing.

For recorders William H. Perry and Anna H. Gould they are united with and appointed for the ensuing year.

To make out a statistical report of our members and present to our Monthly Meeting on the 4th mo. 1857

William J. Collins, his name being united with he is appointed for the year ensuing.

The representatives at our last Yearly Meeting report they attended.

To appoint William J. Collins and Mary H. Collins to make the necessary inquiry, and if nothing appears to prevent, prepare a removal certificate for Thomas A. Henderson to the Monthly Meeting of Friends of the Northern District at 10th and North Street Phil. Also to ascertain whether William J. Henderson is a member of this meeting, if so to take the same necessary care in his case as in the case of Thomas A. Henderson and report to our next Monthly Meeting.

The business of the Monthly Meeting being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit.

Anna H. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting
Friends held a Yearly at Hopkinton 9th mo.
27th 1856. By the Minute from the
Preparation meeting the representatives
are Edward W. Collins, Elizabeth H. Perry &
William H. Perry who are all present.

We have received your query of the London General Epistle in distribution.

The Committee appointed last month to prepare a removal certificate for Thomas A. Henderson make the following report viz. which is satisfactory to us, and

"The above committee having carefully searched the records of South Kingston Monthly Meeting are unable to find any record to the effect that William Henderson is a member with us. And finding nothing to prevent have prepared the following certificate for Thomas A. Henderson. All of which we submit for your consideration.

Mary W. Collins

William D. Collins

"In the Monthly Meeting of Friends of the Southern District (Grand Old St. Phils.)

Thomas A. Henderson a minor having moved within the limits of your Meeting requests our testimony.

This is to certify that he is a member of this meeting and as such we recommend him to your Christian care and oversight and to your friends.

Taken from the Minutes of South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Dedham 7th mo. 25th 1856.

William H. Perry

Anna A. Gould - Clerk

William D. Collins is appointed to solicit funds for Foreign Missionary purposes and send to Timothy D. Thayer Treasurer of American of Foreign Missions Committee by 1st month 1857.

Marriette D. Collins is appointed to solicit funds for the Indian Mission and send the same to Anthony Kimball Treasurer of Indian Committee by the 1st month 1857.

To South Kingstown Monthly Meeting
of Friends

Dear friends

At Rhode Island Quarterly
Meeting held at Fair River 11th Mo 1st 1883 it
was concluded to raise Nine Hundred (900)
dollars for the use of that Meeting the coming
year, and the several Monthly Meetings were
requested to forward their proportion of that
amount to James Dennis our Treasurer

Taken from the Minutes of the aforesaid
Meeting held as above

Sam^l R. Buffinton Clerk

So. Kingstown, Me. M^oly. quota is \$36.47

Please acknowledge the receipt of above and
oblige Thy frd S^l R. Buffinton

since coming home I think
as we are a joint-meeting our
records should agree so I send
this for thee to insert in its proper
place

Thy friend
H. H. Perry

William J. Collins is appointed to carry out the instructions of the Yearly Meeting as given in minute No 44 of printed minutes.

Received Epistles from the Young Friends of all the Yearly Meetings with which we correspond.

The business of the Yearly Meeting accomplished we conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitably at South Kingston 10th and 25th 1886. By the Preparative Meeting were present the representatives Thomas ^{W. Collins} and Edward W. Collins who are present. ^{as mess} ~~the~~ ^{being} ~~the~~ ^{being} not being present Edward W. Collins was appointed to take his place for this time.

Minutes have been read with reference to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our Preparative Meeting which we forward to our next meeting to be held at South Kingston by Francis W. Collins which W. Collins forwarded to Collins and Mary Anna Gould who are appointed our representatives.

Received at this time several copies of a Ministry from the Representative Meeting, one of which has been read, to our satisfaction.

Read at this time the London General Epistle. The counsel therein contained is acceptable and encouraging to us.

The trustees of the Young Men's Association make the following report viz. which is satisfactory to this meeting.

"Amount in the Savings Institution of Wakefield 10th mo. 26th 1886 \$ 169,05

Two dividends of the Wakefield National Bank in 1886, added \$ 5,00 Dividend of Savings Bank 10th mo. 7th 1886 added \$ 8,61.

Total amount of deposit \$ 185,66. Two shares of the

Wakefield National Bank Stock par value
\$ 100⁰⁰ worth 147, 00 — Total value of Fund
\$ 325, 66 cts. John Babcock Trustee.

South Kingstown 10th month 20th 1886.
The business of the Meeting being accomplished
we separate purposing to meet next month
at this place if the Lord permit.
Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting
of Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton
11th month 22nd 1886. By the Minutes of
the Preparative Meeting the representatives are
Edward B. Collins and Elizabeth H. Perry who
are present. The representatives ap-
pointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting
have reported that three of them did
attend it. Read at this time ex-
cellent Epistles from our Sisters of
London and Dublin Yearly Meetings
of Friends, much to our comfort.
The business of the Meeting
being concluded we separate propo-
sing to meet next month at this
place if the Lord permit.
Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly
Meeting of Friends held unitedly at
Hopkinton 12th month 27th 1886.
By the Minutes of the Preparative Meeting
the representatives are Elizabeth H. Perry who
are present. Received the following com-
munication from the Quarterly Meeting of Friends
at Fall River, namely — "At Rhode Island Quar-
terly Meeting of Friends held at Fall River 11th - 14th
1886 that Meeting concludes to raise nine hundred
and fifty (\$ 950) for its use the ensuing year; and
the different Monthly Meetings are requested to

forward their proportion of that sum to James Loring the Treasurer of that Meeting. From the Minutes of the previous meeting.

Samuel M. Buffington Clerk."

South Kingston Monthly Meeting quota is 4 per cent \$38.00. And we appoint William T. Collins and Mary T. Collins a Committee to examine the Treasurers account, propose a sum for the use of the Meeting and the name of a man for a Treasurer and report to our next Meeting.

The Woman Clerk not present we appoint Elizabeth A. Perry for the day. The business of the Meeting being accomplished we separate proposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit.

Elizabeth A. Perry, Clerk for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton 1st mo 2nd 1827. By the Minutes of the Preparative Meeting the representatives are Mary Anna Gould and William H. Perry who are present.

The Committee appointed to examine the Treasurers account make the following report viz

"We find \$12.92 due the meeting, we propose to raise \$50. for the use of this meeting; and Edward W. Collins for Treasurer.

William T. Collins

Mary T. Collins

Which is satisfactory to the meeting and we appoint John Babcock and William T. Collins to apportion the same among our members, to collect and pay to our Treasurer and he is directed to pay our proportion of stock \$38. to the Treasurer of the Quarterly Meeting.

The Querils have been read with Answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th from our Preparative Meeting which we forward to the next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Providence by John Babcock. Anna A. Gould Elizabeth A. Perry and William H. Perry who

are appointed our representatives.

Charles H. Goddard a member and Minister of Durham Monthly Meeting Maine attended this meeting and presented a certificate of unity & encouragement to this meeting, ^{which is satisfactory to us} and the clerk are directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute. The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate proposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton 2nd mo 21st 1887. By the account of the Preparative meeting the representatives are Edward W. Collins and Elizabeth A. Perry who are present.

The woman clerk not being present Elizabeth A. Perry was appointed for the day.

We are informed the representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting attended except one. The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate proposing to meet next month at this place if the Lord permit. Elizabeth A. Perry Clerk for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton 3rd mo. 28th 1887. By the account of the Preparative Meeting the representatives is William H. Perry who is present. Read at this time Epistles from our Sisters of Baltimore & North Carolina Yearly Meetings.

The business of the meeting being through we conclude proposing to meet next month at Peacedale if the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting held

unitedly at Peacedale 1st mo. 25th 1887. By the Preparative meeting account the representatives are Harriette D. Collins Mary S. Collins Edward W. Collins and William H. Perry, who are all present except one who was prevented by indisposition.

The Queries have been read with their respective Answers which we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at East Greenwich by Dorcas G. Babcock, William D. Collins, Eunice M. Oatley and Edward W. Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

Statistics of the Monthly Meeting for the year 1887. — Births none. — Deaths three. — Removals out of one. — Removals into none. — Admission by request none. — Disowned none. — Males 35. — Females 45. — Total 80. —

Decrease since last year 4. — No. under 21 years old 12. — No. attending schools 10. — No. attending taught by Friends. 8 —

Abel J. Collins a member and Elder of South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends deceased 6th mo. 15th 1886. aged 77 years 4 months and 23 days.

We are informed that Lois B. Tripp requests a removal Certificate to New Bedford Monthly Meeting and we appoint Dorcas G. Babcock and Chira M. Perry a committee to make the necessary enquiry and if nothing appears to prevent to prepare a removal certificate for her to that meeting.

A request made by Lois B. Tripp that the committee report at this meeting. And the above committee have presented the following Certificate namely,

Which is satisfactory to this meeting and the Clerks are requested to sign and forward it to that Monthly Meeting.

To New Bedford Monthly Meeting of Friends. Dear Friends— Lois B. Tripp Wife of Thomas A. Tripp having removed within the limits of your meeting requests our certificate.

This is to certify on her behalf that she is a member of this meeting, in good standing, of

orderly life and conversation, and her outward affairs are settled satisfactorily. As such we recommend her to your christian care and oversight.

Peter H. Collins)

William H. Perry)

Correspondent.)

Anna A. Gould } Clerks.

The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate proposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of friends held unitedly at Peacedale 5th mo. 23rd 1887.

By the minutes from the Preparative Meeting the representatives are Mary Anna Gould and William H. Perry who are present.

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting report they all attended except one.

The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate purposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Peacedale 6th mo. 24th 1887. By the minutes from the preparative

meeting the representatives are Anna Maria Collins and William H. Perry who are present except one. The report of the Boarding School was received and acceptably read.

Samuel G. Williams a Minister of Christ from Durham Monthly Meeting of Friends Maine attended this meeting and presented a satisfactory Minute of unity with his prospect from Durham Monthly Meeting held at Kingston 6th mo. 21st 1887. His company and religious services have been very acceptable to us, and the clerks are directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute.

The business of this meeting being

accomplished we separate proposing to meet
next month at this place if the Lord permit.
Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends
held unitedly at Ricedale 7th mo 25th 1887.

By the Preparative Meeting Minute the repre-
sentatives are Harriette D. Collins and William
H. Perry who are present.

The Queries have been read with Answers
to the 1st 2nd and 10th which we forward to the
next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Newport
by Harriette D. Collins, Eunice A. Outley,
Robert Browning and William H. Perry who
are appointed our representatives.

We appoint Harriette D. Collins and Robert
Browning a committee to propose and bring
forward names for Overseers of Society at
our next meeting. Received the Yearly
Meeting Minutes at this time. Acceptably
read the Epistles of our Sisters of Ohio and
Indiana Yearly Meetings to our comfort.

The business of the meeting being accomplished
we separate proposing to meet at Hopkinton
next month if the Lord permit.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton 8th mo
22nd 1887. By the Minutes of the Prepar-
ative Meeting the representatives are Harriet
M. Collins and Anna M. Collins who are
present except one, for whose absence a
satisfactory reason was given.

One of the representatives proposed
the names of William H. Perry and Anna
A. Gould for Clerks which being considered
and approved they are appointed to that service
for one year, or untill another appointment.

The woman Clerk not being present
Elvira M. Perry is appointed for the day.
The committee appointed last month
to propose names for Overseers of Society
not being present they are requested
to present them at our next meeting.

For Overseers of the poor Thomas
W. Browning, Anna M. Collins, Gilbert
L. Collins and Dorcas G. Babcock
who are appointed for the ensuing year
or untill another appointment.

For the care of meeting houses,
burials, burying grounds, and report
births and deaths for recording Robert
Browning, Anna A. Gould, Abel Sanner,
and Eunice M. Outley. And they are ap-
pointed for one year, or untill another
appointment. Recorders William H.
Perry and Anna A. Gould, and they are
appointed for the ensuing year, or
untill another appointment.

To make out statistical reports
and present to the Monthly Meeting in
the 4th month 1888 William J. Collins,
his name being united with he is
appointed to that service for one year
or untill another appointment.

The representatives to our last
Quarterly Meeting report they attended
except one for whose absence a reason-
able excuse was rendered.

Gilbert L. Collins and William
J. Collins are appointed to make the
needed repairs on the shed.

Received at this time the London
Epistle.

The business of the meeting
being accomplished we separate
purposing to meet next month at this
place if the Lord permit.

Elvira M. Perry Clerk
for the day.

the following information in accordance with the direction of the Yearly Meeting, in connection with the subject of Education, embracing also the ages of all the children within your limits between the ages of 4 and 21 years.

First.

How many children between the ages of 4 & 21.

Second.

How many children between the ages of 12 & 21.

Third.

How many children are attending School.

Fourth.

How many children are attending school taught by or under the control of Friends. And you are also requested to furnish this Meeting in the 5th Mo. of each year (together with the required information upon the subject before named) the time, place and hour of holding the Mo. Meeting, and also the Preparative Meetings within your limits — By the direction of the aforesaid Meeting.

Saml. C. Buffinton. Clerk.

To South Kingstown Mo. Meeting of Friends.
Dear Friends.

Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting
of Friends held at Newport 8mo. 4. 1887.
requested the several Monthly Meetings
within their limits (by direction of the late
Yr. Meeting) to appoint committees to raise
additional funds, in aid of Foreign Mission
Work, and work among the Western Indians
and forward the amounts raised therefor
to Timothy B. Kinssey, Treas. for Foreign
Mission Work. and Anthony M. Kimber, Treas.
for the Indian Committee, and you are
also requested to strike from the first Query
(by direction of the Yr. Meeting) that portion
of the Query relating to "unbecoming behavior
in the Discipline used by the Mo. Meeting
and also those used by the Preparative
Meeting within your limits. And in addition
to your Annual Statistical information you
are requested to furnish this meeting with

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting held
unitedly at Hopkinton Jano. 26th 1887.

By the account from the Preparative
meeting the representatives are Mary L. Collins
and Gilbert L. Collins who are present.

The committee appointed to bring forward
names for Overseers of society not having re-
ported it is refered to our next meeting under
their care.

We have received the fol-
lowing communication from Rhode Island
Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New-
port 8th mo. 4th 1887.

"To South Kingston Monthly Meeting
of Friends. Dear Friends, Rhode Island
Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Newport
8th mo. 4th 1887 requested the several Monthly Meetings
within their limits, (by direction of the late
Yearly Meeting) to appoint a committee to
raise additional funds, in aid of Foreign
Mission Work, and work among the
Western Indians, and forward the amounts
raised therefor to Timothy B. Hussey Treasurer
for Foreign Mission Work, and Anthony M.
Kimber Treasurer for the Indian Committees.
And you are also requested to strike from
the first Query (by direction of the Yearly
Meeting) that portion of the Query relating
to unbecoming behavior in the Discipline
used by the Monthly Meeting, and also
those used by the Preparative Meeting
within your limits.

And in addition to your Annual Sta-
tistical information you are requested to
furnish this meeting with the following
information in accordance with the
direction of the Yearly Meeting in con-
nection with the subject of Education,
embracing also the ages of 4 and 21 years.
First, how many children between the ages
of 4 and 21. Second — how many children
between the ages of 12 and 21.

Third, How many children are attending School.
Fourth, How many children are attending
School taught by or under the control of
Priests. And you are also requested to
furnish this meeting in the 5th month of
each year (together with the required in-
formation upon the subject before
named) the time place and how of
holding the Monthly Meeting and also
the preparative meetings within your
limits. — By the direction of the afore-
said Meeting.

Samuel R. Buffington Clerk."

We appoint William S. Collins a Committee
to collect funds for Foreign Mission Work
and forward the same to Timothy B. Huser
the Treasurer of Foreign Missionary work
and report to this meeting in 3rd mo. 1888.

We appoint Harriette L. Collins a committee
to collect funds for the Indian Committee
and send the same to Anthony M. Kimber
the Treasurer of that Committee and report
to meeting in 3rd mo. 1888.

We appoint William S. Collins to make
out the additional statistical report
and report to our Monthly Meeting in
the 5th month 1888. We have received
our quota of the Children's letters also letters
to the young people, and the Epistles
of our sisters of other Yearly Meetings.

Read at this time the Epistles from
Western, Iowa, Canada and Kansas
Yearly Meetings which contain excellent
counsel and instruction.

The business of the Meeting being
accomplished we separate proposing
to meet at this place next month
if the Lord Permit.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends
held unitedly at Hopkinton 10th mo 24th 1887.

By the account from the Preparative Meeting
the representatives are John H. Knowles and Mary
L. Collins who are present.

The Queries have been read in this meeting
with Ans. to the first, second, and tenth, which are
forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held
at Fall River by Elizabeth K. Perry, Mary A.
Gould, William H. Perry and George S. Gould
who are appointed our representatives.

The committee appointed to bring forward
names for Overseers of Society have produced
the following, namely. John Babcock, Mary P.
Babcock, George S. Gould, Anna A. Gould,
William T. Collins, Mary S. Collins, Ruth
Ann Collins, and Peter H. Collins.
They being satisfactory to the meeting
are appointed for one year or untill
another appointment.

We appoint John Babcock, and Robert
Dronning to dispose of the meeting house
at Western. As William T. Collins
requests to be released from serving
on the Foreign Mission Committee it
is granted; and we appoint Mary P.

Babcock as that Committee and report
to this meeting in 3^d month 1888.

Report of the Mary Knowles Fund.

Amount reported 10 th mo. 20 th 1886	185.66
1 st mo 18 th 1887 Wakefield National Bank div.	4.00
7 th mo 7 th " " " " " "	4.00
10 mo. 5 th Savings Bank dividend	9.41
Total in Savings Bank - - - - -	\$203.07
Wakefield National Bank stock	
2 Shares par value \$100.00 Worth	144.00
Total present value	\$347.07

South Kingston 10th mo 24th 1887.

John Babcock for the Trustees.

This report is acceptable to the meeting.

South Kingston Oct. 11th 1887. Respected Friends, I feel it my duty to make this request being a member amongst you under the present circumstances, your meetings are so far off it is difficult for me to attend them. I feel it my duty to assemble for worship somewhere within my reach. The old meetinghouse has been denied us. Please dismiss me from your Society.

Yours with respect, Benjamin F. Legar.

The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate proposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit.

Anna S. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held Unitedly at Hopkinton 11^{mo} 21st 1887.

By the Preparative Meeting Minute the representative is William H. Perry who is present.

The representative to our last Quarterly Meeting report they attended.

William H. Perry informed this meeting he had given Benjamin F. Legar the information of his request being granted.

We have received the following document from "Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Fall River 11th mo. 3rd 1887. It was concluded to raise \$900. for the use of that meeting the ensuing year and the several Monthly Meetings are requested to forward their respective proportions of that amount to Samuel R. Buffington our Treasurer.

Samuel R. Buffington Clerk.

The quota of South Kingston Monthly Meeting is 26 dollars four per cent; and we appoint George S. Gould and William H. Perry to examine the Treasurers account, propose a sum to be raised for the use of the Meeting this year — and the name of a friend for Treasurer and report to this meeting next month.

Read at this time the Epistle of Women Friends
of London Yearly Meeting to the Women Friends of
this country. The business of this Meeting
being accomplished we separate proposing to
meet at this place next month if the Lord
permit.
Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton Dec. 26th
1857. By the Minutes of the Preparative
Meeting the representatives therein named
are Anna M. Collins and William B. Perry
who are present. The woman clerk not
being present Harriette D. Collins is appoin-
ted for the day. The committee appointed
to examine the Treasurers account made the
following report viz. "We have examined the
Treasurers account and find the balance due
him \$5.85 cents and propose that the Monthly
Meeting raise \$65. for its use the present year.
And propose Edward H. Collins for Treasurer,
which is submitted to the monthly meeting.

On behalf of the Committee Geo. S. Gould.

This Meeting accepts the report and we appoint
John Babcock and William T. Collins a committee.
to apportion the sum of 65 dollars among our
members, collect the same and pay to our
Treasurer Edward H. Collins whom we
appoint to that trust for the ensuing
year. And our Treasurer is directed to
pay our proportion of the Quarterly
Meeting stock \$36.00 to the Treasurers
of that meeting.

Received at this time our parts of
a "Declaration of Christian Doctrine" as
set forth by a Conference of Delegates
representing the Yearly Meetings of
London, Dublin, New England, New York,
Baltimore, North Carolina, Ohio, Indiana,

Western, Iowa, Canada and Kansas held
in Richmond Ind. on the 23, 24, 26, & 27th
of 9th month 1887. It was thought to be
desirable that there should be a uniform
declaration of Faith exhibiting the united
testimonies of the Society of Friends
throughout the World and the following
was agreed upon to be submitted to the
Yearly Meetings represented for their
consideration and approval. James Wood
Peter H. Stuart, Chairman.
Mahala Jay, Clerks.

Read at this time an Epistle from
the Women Friends of Dublin Yearly
Meeting to our edification.

The business of the Meeting being
accomplished we separate proposing to
meet at this place next month if the
Lord Permit.
Harriette B. Collins
Clerk for the day.

At South Kingston monthly meeting of
Friends held unitedly at Hopkinton
1st month 23rd 1888. By the Preparative
Meeting of Minutes the Representatives to this
this Meeting are Peter H. Collins and Anna
M. Collins who are present.

The woman Clerk not being present we
appoint Oliver M. Perry Clerk for the day.

The Queries have been read with the
Answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th which we are
to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to
be held at Providence by John Babcock,
Oliver M. Perry, Anna M. Collins, and
William H. Perry who are appointed our
representatives. The Committee appointed
to dispose of the meeting house at Western
report it has been sold for \$12.00 and
the funds are to be placed in the hands of
our Treasurer.

Read at this time an Epistle from our Sisters of New York Yearly Meeting to our comfort and edification.

The business of the meeting being accomplished we separate proposing proposing to meet at this place next month if the Lord permit.

Elvira M. Perry
Clerk for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends held unitedly at Rockinton 2nd month 20th 1888. By the Preparative Meeting account the representatives therein named are Edward W. Collins and Elizabeth M. Perry who are present.



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